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French Still Gain on Von Kluck

REINFORCEMENTS FOR GERMANS BEAT THOSE OF ALLIES TO FIRING LINE

Tremendous Battle Now in 10th Day

Is Artillery Duel Along 150 Mile Front With Frequent Charges and Counter Charges of Infantry—French Effort Is to Cut Von Kluck's Railroad.

By ASSOCIATED PRESS

PARIS, Sept. 22, 3:06 p.m.—The following official announcement was made in Paris today:

"Along the entire front from the Oise to the Woevre, the Germans manifested yesterday, Sept. 21, a certain activity, without, however, obtaining appreciable results.

"First, on our left wing, on the right bank of the River Oise, the Germans were obliged to yield ground before the French attacks. Between the Oise and the Aisne, the situation remains unchanged. The enemy has not delivered any serious attack, contenting himself yesterday (Monday) evening with a continued cannonading.

"Second, on the center, between Rheims and Souain, the enemy attempted an offensive movement, which was repulsed while between Souain and the Argonne we have made some progress.

"Between the Argonne and the River Meuse there has been no change.

"In the Woevre district the enemy made a violent effort; he attacked the heights of the Meuse along the front between Tresauvau, Vigneulles and Heudicourt, without, however, succeeding in gaining position on these heights.

"On our right wing, in Lorraine, the enemy has again passed the frontier, using in this operation a number of small columns. Donestre, to the south of Blamont, has been reoccupied by the enemy.

"During the days of September 20 and 21, we captured 20 automobiles used in moving provisions together with all the men attached to them. We also captured on these days numerous prisoners belonging principally to the 40th, 60th, 70th, 80th, 90th, 105th, 104th and 160th regiments of German corps, to the Bavarian Landwehr and to the reserve corps.

"Concerning the Russians in Galicia: The rear guards of the Austrian armies have been pursued by the Russians and have suffered considerable losses. Russian troops have come in contact with the Austrian Garrison near Przemysl. The heavy Russian artillery is bombarding the fortifications of Jaroslav."

Germans Capture Strong Positions at Craonne in Their Advance on Rheims

BERLIN, Sept. 21, via London, Sept. 22.—An official communication issued Monday night regarding the course of the battles around Rheims, says:

"The strong hilly positions at Craonne have been captured. Advancing on Rheims, our troops occupied the village of Bethany.

"We are attacking the strong forts on the line south of Verdun and the Germans have crossed the east border in the direction of Lorraine, which is defended by eight French army corps. (Note—About 300,000). A sortie from the northeast of Verdun has been repulsed.

"The French troops camping to the north of Toul (near Nancy) have been surprised by our artillery.

"In the rest of the French war theater there have been no engagements.

"In the Belgian and Eastern battlefields, the situation is unchanged."

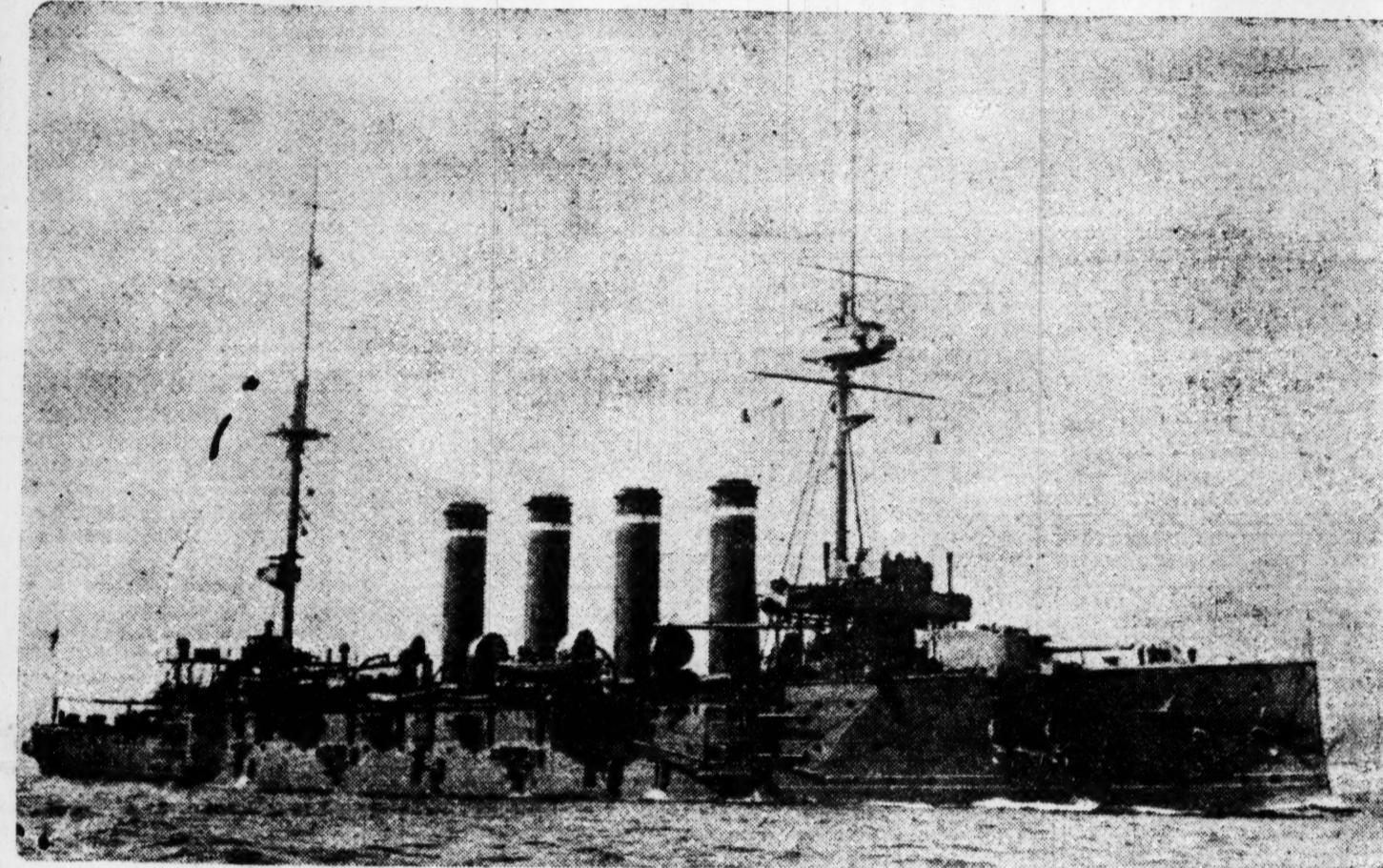
Paris Believes Germans Have Reached Limit of Their Endurance

PARIS, Sept. 22

The official communication, issued last night, said:

"The engagements today have been less violent. We have made

One of Three Sister Ships Torpedoed by Germans



RICHARD HARDING DAVIS TELLS OF BOMBARDMENT OF RHEIMS CATHEDRAL

Frequency of Shots Striking Great Gothic Church and Buildings Near It Convincing Him It Is Target—Shell Kills Two of German Wounded.

By Richard Harding Davis.

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PARIS, Sept. 19.—In several ways the city of Rheims is celebrated. Some know her only through her cathedral, where were crowned all but six of the Kings of France, and where the stained glass windows, with those in the cathedrals of Chartres and Burgos, Spain, were the most beautiful in all the world. Children knew Rheims through the wicked magpie which the Archbishop excommunicated; and their elders, if they are rich, know Rheims as the place from which champagne comes.

On Sept. 4 the Germans entered Rheims, and occupied it until the seventeenth, when they retreated to the hills north of the city, without fighting. But the day before yesterday the French forces, having entered Rheims, the Germans bombarded the city with field guns and howitzers. Rheims is 56 miles from Paris, but though I started at an early hour, so many bridges have been blown up that I did not reach Rheims until 3 o'clock in the afternoon. At that hour the French artillery, to the east at Nogent and immediately outside the northern edge of town, was firing on the German positions, and the Germans were replying, many of their shells falling in the heart of the city.

The proportion of those that struck the cathedral, or houses within a hundred yards of it, to those falling on other buildings, was about six to one. So what damage the cathedral suffered was from blows delivered not by accident, but with intent. As the priests put it, firing on the church was "express" (of set purpose).

Cathedral Dominates Countryside Like Rock of Gibraltar.

The cathedral dominates not only the city, but the countryside. It rises from the plain as Gibraltar rises from the sea, and as the pyramids rise from the desert. And at a distance of six miles, as you approach from Paris along the valley of the Marne, it has more the appearance of a fortress than a church. But when you stand in the square beneath and look up, it is entirely ecclesiastical, of noble and magnificent proportions, in design inspired, much too sublime for the Kings it has crowned, and almost worthy of the King in whose honor, 700 years ago, it was

reared. It has been called "perhaps the most beautiful structure produced in the Middle Ages." On the west facade, rising tier upon tier, are 560 statues and carvings. The statues are of angels, martyrs, patriarchs, Apostles, the vices and virtues, the Virgin and Child. In the center of these is the famous rose window, on either side giant towers.

At my feet, down the step leading to the three portals, were pools of blood. There was a priest in the square, a young man with white hair, and with a face as strong as one of those of the saints carved in stone, and as gentle. He was the Cure Doyen (senior priest) of the cathedral, Chanone Frezet, and he explained the pools of blood. Before they retreated, the Germans had carried their wounded up the steps into the nave of the cathedral, had spread straw upon the stone flagging, placed with it a bucket of water and a raw shoulder of beef, and had abandoned to the care of the enemy those unfortunate who had become a burden.

In this procedure there was nothing exceptional. During this last week of retreat it has been their rule. Along the 20 miles of their withdrawal, the wake of the Germans is strewn with these derelicts who are no longer able to help them and no longer able to help themselves.

The Cure guided me to the side door, unlocked it and led the way into the cathedral. It is built in the form of a crucifix, and so vast is the edifice that many chapels are lost in it and the lower half is in a shadow. But from high above, the stained windows of the thirteenth century, or what was left of them, cast a glow so gorgeous, so wonderful, so pure, that it seemed to come direct from the other world.

Wounded, Under Rays From Window, Like Ghosts.

From north and south the windows shed a radiance of deep blue, like the blue of the sky by moonlight on the coldest night of winter, and from the west the great rose window glowed with the warmth and beauty of a thousand rubles. Beneath it, bathed in crimson light, where for generations French men and women have knelt in prayer, where Joan of Arc helped place the crown on Charles VII, was piled three feet of dirty straw, and on the straw were gray-coated Germans, covered with the mud of the fields, caked with blood, white and haggard from the loss of it, from the lack of sleep, rest and food. The entire west end of the cathedral looked like a stable, and in the blue and purple rays from the glorious windows, the wounded were as unreal as ghosts. Already two of them had passed into the world of ghosts. They had not died from their wounds but from a shell sent by their own people.

It had come screaming into this backwater of war, tearing out leaded window panes as you would destroy cobwebs, and had burst among those who already had paid the penalty. And so two of them, done with pack drill, goose step, half rations and forced marches, lay under the shade of the trees, the priests had heaped upon them. The toes of their boots pointed upward. Their gray hands were clasped rigidly, as though in prayer.

Half hidden in the straw, the others were as silent and almost as still. Since they had been dropped upon the stone floor, they had not moved, but lay in twisted, unnatural attitudes. Only their eyes showed that they lived. These were then beseeching upon the French Red Cross doctors, kneeling waist high in straw and unrolling long white bandages. The wounded watched them drawing slowly nearer, fighting off death until they came, clinging to life as shipwrecked sailors clinging to a raft and watch boats pulling toward them.

A young German officer, his smart cavalry cloak torn and slashed, and with his eyes in bandages, groped toward the pall of water, feeling his way with his boot, his arms stretched out clutching the air. To guide him, a priest took his arm and the officer turned and stumbled against him. Thinking the priest was one of his own men, he swore at him and to learn if he wore shoulder straps ran his fingers over the priest's shoulders, and, finding a silk cassock, said quickly in French: "Pardon me, my father. I am blind."

The Archbishop of Rheims, a cardinal, was at Rome, and in his absence the Cure, with white hair, was in charge. As he guided me through the wrecked cathedral his indignation and his fear of being unjust waged

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TWO SHIPS GO TO AID OF STRICKEN COMRADE, AND ARE TORPEDOED

British Admiralty Announces Disastrous Conflict in North Sea in Which Fighting Craft Carrying 2200 Men Go Down Before Unseen Foe—Many of Crews Saved.

By ASSOCIATED PRESS

LONDON, Sept. 22.—The silence of the British authorities regarding naval operations in the North Sea was suddenly broken this afternoon by announcement of a disaster to the British navy, which, according to official information, has suffered the loss of three armored cruisers, sunk by German submarines.

The victims of this brilliant stroke on the part of the German fleet are the Cressy, the Aboukir and the Hogue, sister ships, each mounting 31 guns and carrying a crew of 755 officers and men.

The loss of life among the crews of these three vessels probably will be heavy, although a considerable number of men were picked up by the cruiser Lowestoft, a division of torpedo-boat destroyers and some trawlers.

Neither the time nor the scene of the disaster is given in the official report, which says:

The British warships Aboukir, Hogue and Cressy, have been sunk in the North Sea by submarines.

A considerable number of the crews of these vessels were saved by H. M. S. Lowestoft and by a division of torpedo boat destroyers. Trawlers and their boats also aided in the work of rescue.

The Aboukir was torpedoed first. The Hogue and the Cressy drew in close to her and were standing by to save her crew, when they also were torpedoed.

The Cressy, Captain Robert W. Johnson, the Aboukir, Captain John E. Drummond and the Hogue, Captain Wilmot S. Nicholson, were sister ships. They were armored cruisers of a comparatively obsolete type and were built 14 years ago.

The lists of the casualties among their crews will be published as soon as they are known.

The warships Aboukir, Hogue and Cressy were cruisers of the same type. Their tonnage, armament, etc., were identical. These vessels had a displacement of 12,000 tons, were 440 feet long, 69.5 feet wide, and drew 26 feet of water. Each one had a complement of 755 men, including officers and crew.

These three cruisers had armaments consisting of two 9.2-inch guns, 12 6-inch guns, 12 12-pounders and five 3-pounders. The Aboukir and the Cressy were built at Govan in 1900 and the Hogue was built at Barrow in the same year.

The announcement of the loss of the three warships came when the British public was cheered by a speech made in Liverpool last night by Winston Churchill, first Lord of the Admiralty, in which he said he had hopes that the British navy would yet be able to settle affairs with the German navy.

If the Kaiser's ships would not come out and fight, he said, they would be dug out "like rats out of a hole."

Each of the ships lost cost \$4,000,000. The cost of a submarine is between \$400,000 and \$650,000.

One of the theories advanced is that the Aboukir, Hogue and Cressy were sent by the British commander of a larger fleet near in shore, possibly at Helgoland, to lure German warships out within range of the more powerful ships of the British North Sea fleet.

The ships thus used as a gambit were old enough to be sacrificed, and still had sufficient speed to draw all pursuers well out to sea.

The bait was accepted, according to this theory, but the German admiral struck not with his battleships, but with his submarines.

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CORRESPONDENT ON AISNE FIRING LINE TELLS OF TURCS' DARING DEEDS

French Report Says Allies' Line Holds Firmly Everywhere

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appreciable progress, notably between Rheims and the Argonne."

The battle of Charleroi lasted three days and the battle of the Marne severed six days, though the retirement of the Germans commenced on the third day. Today is the tenth day of the battle of the Aisne, the most violent of the three, but the limit of human endurance seems to have been reached in the intensity of the struggle which has diminished in front of Rheims.

At Caronne after a brief lull, the fighting has become fierce again and the losses of the Germans were increased. Here alone of the whole line hand-to-hand fighting occurred yesterday. Everywhere else the invaders left the attack to the "Brummers" as they call the immense mortars which did so much damage to the cathedral of Rheims.

It may be well be asked if the result of the lavish use of these immense projectiles between five and six feet long is a good investment as the serious damage of the Rheims cathedral has had only the result of increasing the determination of the French to win.

The significance of yesterday's official communications is seen in that the allies have advanced at points where the danger to the invaders is greatest. The progress to the west of Noyon threatens the German right and the advance between Rheims and the Argonne threatens their line of retreat and communications through Stenay. One report has it that the right wing has been thrust back seven miles.

The deduction of the military experts here is that the weariness shows more decidedly in the German camp. They are said to be feverishly active in their work on the fortifications along the Sambre from Maubegue to Namur and even on their lines of defense across the German frontier and this is taken to indicate a lack of confidence in the final issue of the clash of the Aisne.

Allies' Hopes Are Pinned to Armies on Western End of Line

London, Sept. 22 (1:20 p. m.)—All eyes are now fixed on the western section of the great battle line in France where the allied army is expected to descend on the German right which already is bending backwards under persistent pressure to the northward of the River Aisne. If these German positions are once carried, strategists here believe the whole German front will be in danger.

German reinforcements, according to Berlin reports, have beaten their opponents in the race to the fighting zone and the result is seen in the rapid series of Hussars' strokes which Gen. von Kluck has been able to deliver in an effort to stem the allied enveloping movement around St. Quentin.

Thus far the battle of the Aisne reproduces on a larger scale the chief features of the struggle on the Marne, but whether in the final outcome, the victory will rest with the same side is likely to remain a secret for a few days more.

Ten days of the most furiously contested struggle known in modern history has left both armies in such a position that neither can claim a definite advantage and the result must depend largely upon what reinforcements the opposing commanders are able to control.

On the River Aisne, as on the Marne, the Germans are thrusting persistently at the allies' center, while the French and British troops are pursuing their favorite movement of working around the German flank. Day by day the allied line, though stationary in the center, seems, according to official statements, to gain a little ground on both wings.

If the report that Gen. von Kluck has moved his headquarters back to Mons be true, it will be of the greatest significance as showing his recognition of the danger which might threaten him from an army marching from the west.

The Times' military expert says that the line of the allies now extends on the East from a point near St. Die through Luneville, Pont-a-Mousson, Etain, Conservoye, Montfacon, Souain, Rheims, Craonne, Noyon, Lassigny and Roisel to Lecalelet.

"The news of the day," the expert says, "is the appearance of French forces around Peronne, 17 miles northwest of St. Quentin, attacking the German extreme right at St. Quentin.

"The English army near Soissons. On the British Left are French troops who probably reach through to Lassigny toward Ham, 12 miles southwest of St. Quentin and are endeavoring to close in upon La Fere, 14 miles northwest of Laon."

Correspondent Says German Right Has Fallen Back 7 Miles in Two Days

From an Associated Press Correspondent.
ON THE BATTLE FRONT, via Paris, Sept. 21.—The western wing of the German line has been thrust back about seven miles during the last 48 hours, as a sequel to continuous fighting night and day.

Both armies, despite almost superhuman fatigues, show the utmost determination not to yield an inch of ground without a terrible struggle, but the fresher troops at the disposal of the allied commanders have gradually forced the Germans to recede.

The Turks are adding daily to their record of daring achievements. Late last night (Sunday), in a costly bayonet encounter, they broke through the German lines, firing only a few shots, and recaptured and brought back four field guns which the French troops had abandoned the previous day. They seemed to disdain the murderous rifle and machine gun fire poured into them.

Movements Made With Caution.
Cold steel again played a considerable part today in the battle of the enormous hosts fighting along the Aisne, the Oise and Woerre. The most remarkable point about the encounters is that the troops scarcely see each other before they actually come hand to hand.

The recklessness displayed at the beginning of the hostilities with the resultant carnage through the machine guns almost has disappeared and every movement of the attacking and defending troops is carried out with the utmost caution until the moment of actual contact.

The Germans have suffered most in these engagements, for the French troops from Africa and the British infantry are adepts with the bayonet.

Men Have Faith in Joffre.
Gen. Joffre, who is enjoying robust health, holds in his hands every phase of the battle. Behind the firing line, the commander of the allies confers daily with the Generals in charge of the various military forces. He has created a feeling of the greatest cheerfulness and confidence among the officers and men by his absolute indifference to political and other influences and by his desire to spare them sacrifices.

Check at Soissons.
When the allies reached the Aisne, after a headlong pursuit of Von Kluck, they were brought to an abrupt halt by the defensive works about Soissons. This was Sept. 12. Thereafter the allied forces were compelled to attack the Germans about Soissons by frontal attack and by trench work north of the Aisne. In the past 10 days they have very slowly but steadily advanced here, crossing the Aisne, taking the Craonne Plateau and driving the Germans north toward Laon and La Fere beyond Lelette.

Meantime, west of the Oise, the army of Paris, which originally compelled the retirement of Von Kluck, has been striving to get in on his right flank again. To do this it has been necessary for the French to march from the hills about Soissons to the two sides of the right angle formed by the German position from Belgium to Metz. Here heavy artillery, solidly placed, has made attack exceedingly difficult and slow.

In addition, the allies have endeavored to strike the German right above Noyon. But here topographical conditions are favorable to the Germans. The Noyon hills separate the Somme from the Oise, from the Somme flows northwest for many miles, opening out into a broad, deep marsh, difficult to pass always, but exceedingly difficult in the present rainy season. This natural flank protection extends as far as Peronne. Behind it, the city of St. Quentin, on a hill, gives a further line of protection. The Germans need only to hold their base supplies and give them a far better defensive position. On the other hand, it would resign all advantage gained in France and compel them to fight their next campaign, not to get to Paris, but to retain their hold on Belgium. The moral effect of such a retreat, even if it were made without serious loss, cannot be exaggerated.

Hospital Ship Red Cross Is Delayed Three Days by Fog.
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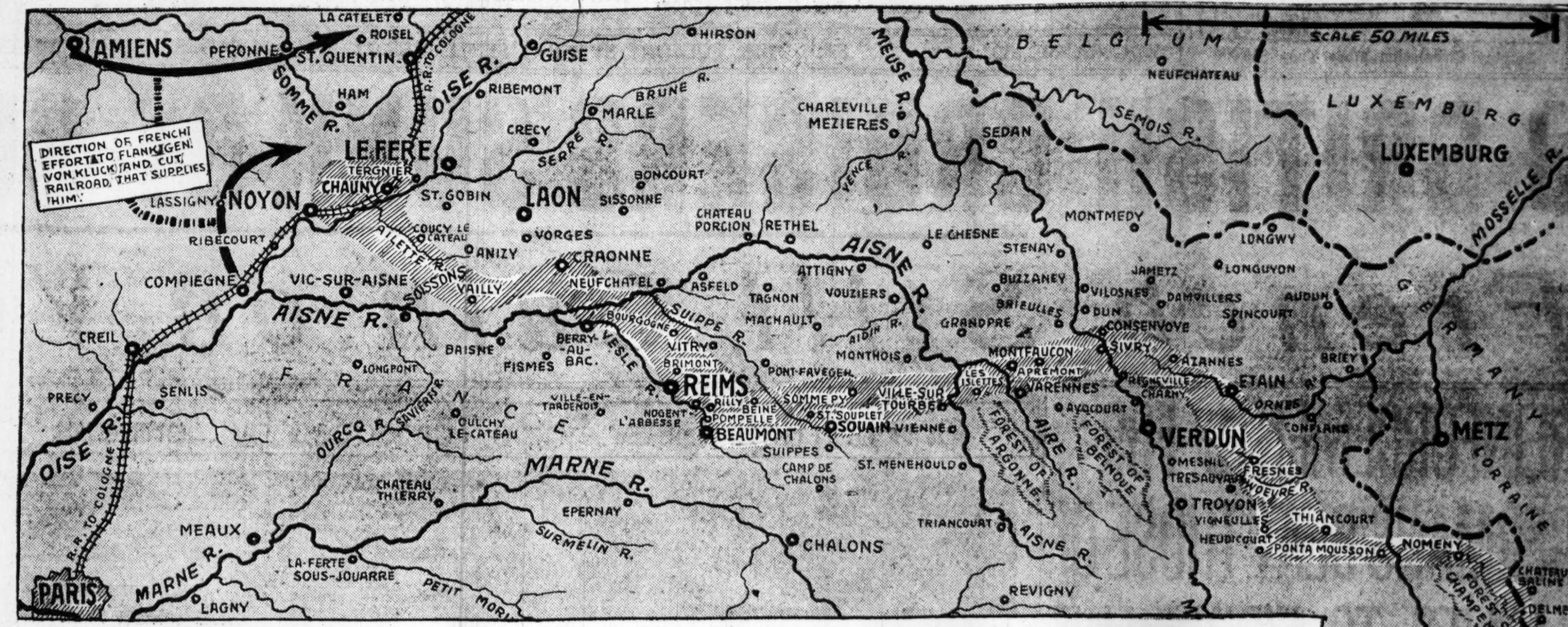
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British Say Wireless Plant Is Hid in Hills on Pacific

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—On complaint of the British embassy the Department of Agriculture has begun a search for a mysterious wireless plant supposed to be operating in the mountains on the Pacific coast.

Information furnished to the department is vague, but apparently the plant is busily engaged in sending messages uncensored by the Federal Government. Forest rangers who patrol the mountains are understood to have received orders to look for the wireless outfit.

Map Showing the Line of Battle in the Day's Fighting in Northern France



Von Kluck's Army Again 'Twixt Scissor Blades, Expert Says

By the Military Expert of the New York Evening Sun.

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WITH ever growing insistence, in the past few days, the dispatches from Paris and London have described the peril threatening the German right flank, while all official communications have discreetly avoided any reference to operations north of Noyon and Lassigny. Yet it is plain at a glance that if the Germans are to be turned out of their present position, the decisive action must come from the west, and repeated reports that Von Kluck is retreating all assume the point of attack—the Germans must be ready at all points.

To explain this flanking operation, it is necessary to recall all the indications of the enemy's position on the Aisne. At the battle of the Marne, Von Kluck's precipitate retirement was compelled by a drive at his rear and right across the Ourcq River by the garrison of Paris, coincident with an advance upon his front by the British south of the Marne. To save his army, Von Kluck started north hurriedly, and did not stop until he reached Noyon and Soissons, nearly 70 miles away.

In this point Von Kluck's right was protected temporarily from flank attack, because from Noyon, north west of the Oise, the Germans had prepared a line of fortifications stretching through Chauny and St. Quentin. His rear, as he retreated, was equally protected by intrenchments running exactly at right angles to those on his right flank from Noyon through Soissons and Craonne, and then south. Just east of Rheims toward the Argonne. East of Soissons the line was held by Von Buelow, Von Hause and the Grand Duke Albrecht, whose armies had fallen back, keeping pace with Von Kluck.

Of course, to keep their foothold in France, the Germans must presently break through the allied forces stretching from La Fere to Rheims. This city was surrounded by a circle of forts, those to the west on the main range of hills, those on the east upon isolated foothills. In military columns they are described as the Laon-La Fere-Rheims barrier, and they were intended to serve as a second line of defense in advance of Paris, to check an invader who might successfully force the first line of fortresses at the frontier.

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Battle Likened to a Siege; Germans Built Subways and Small Forts on Their Advance

LONDON, Sept. 22.

THE correspondent of the Times in Paris, discussing the big battle, says:

"The railway from St. Quentin to Maubecque, that is for a distance of 50 or 60 miles, must be guarded. Such a guard, moreover, would require many men. Having the offensive in this region, the French can select the point of attack—the Germans must be ready at all points."

"Bomb-proof shelters, formed of bags of cement and subterranean passages connect the casement on the heights of Pommiers with the open country, by means of which the enemy secures victuals and is supplied with ammunition. These elaborate works were prepared by the Germans before the march on Paris, thus indicating that they had some doubts of success against the capital."

"The plains of Champagne are admirably suited for the French offensive. They bristle with trenches and redoubts, but if these hamper French action they also stop German attacks. The battle of the Aisne thus becomes a kind of Sebastianopolis. Operations of this sort always result in the defeat of the besieged unless reinforcements arrive."

"Topography of the battlefield of the Aisne.

(Reprinted from the Post-Dispatch of Coming south or west toward Paris, that is, from Belgium or Germany, some 80 miles distant from the French capital, there rises out of the plains a long range of hills, stretching from La Fere to Rheims, running straight across the front of the city and in the pathway of the invader. The hills are highest just back of Rheims, where they reach an elevation of nearly 1000 feet. Just south of La Fere, at the other end, near Noyon, so frequently mentioned in current battle reports, the elevation is 600 feet.

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THIRD GREAT BATTLE STARTS AT PRZEMYSŁ

Latest Dispatches, Telling of Recent Attempt to Recapture Lemberg, Indicate Austrians Are Not So Badly Demoralized as Reported.

LONDON, Sept. 22.—From Petrograd come stories of the continued flight of the broken Austrian armies in Galicia, while at the same time Vienna declares these armies are reorganizing for offensive action.

The third great battle between the Russians and Austrians in Galicia, starting with a bombardment of Przemyśl, in which 2,000,000 men are said to be engaged, is expected to be in full swing within a few hours, when the whole line along the new positions occupied by the Austrians between Przemyśl and Cracow will be involved.

Petrograd reports further that the populace already is fleeing from Cracow. Reports received in the Russian capital point to the effect that Austrian Polish volunteers are declining to serve against the Russians. There is the Russians hope that Cracow may be delivered to them without a struggle.

The Russians claim still further victories against the Austrian forces attempting to reach Cracow and they predict there is no chance for the Austrians to resume the offensive before next spring.

That the Austrian army was not so badly demoralized and disorganized as at first reported is indicated by the admission from Petrograd of the determined nature of the four days' assault at the attempt to recapture Lemberg.

Russians Knew the Austrian War Plans Through Spying.

VIENNA, Sept. 22.—*Via Paris.*—The Habsburg is growing in official circles here that the Austrian reverses in Galicia were, to a large extent, brought about by exact knowledge held by the Russian War Office of Austria's mobilization and campaign plans, which had been obtained through an elaborate system of espionage.

The military authorities, it is said, two years ago discovered that Col. Alfred Redl, chief of the general staff of the Eighth Austrian Army Corps, had betrayed information of vital importance to Russia, and, although it is thought probable the Austrian general staff later made changes in their plans, the military experts believe the modifications would not have greatly affected the general basis of the campaign as worked out. Col. Redl was found guilty of being a traitor and, on advice of a brother officer, killed himself.

Austrian official reports continue to give out scant details of fresh fighting in Galicia.

There is a constant flow of Polish refugees into Vienna. Several trainloads arrived here Saturday and more are reported to be on their way. The municipal authorities are experiencing great difficulty in finding accommodations for the destitute, now more than 100,000.

Farmers are unable to procure sufficient labor for their autumn planting or to carry new grain to the mills, which are besieged with orders for flour. Consequently, the price of grain has advanced 25 per cent. The temporary suspension of import duties on grain, fodder, cattle and meat is proving futile, owing to the opposition of the agrarian party in Hungary, which is contesting the admission of foreign provisions.

Nish Reports 250,000 Austrians Routed at Krouplian.

PARIS, Sept. 22.—A dispatch from Nish, Servia, says: "After several days of battle near Krouplian, 10 miles from the Bosnian border, in which 250,000 Austrians were engaged, the Austrians suffered a complete defeat and are flying in panic from the banks of the River Prina."

The Servians, who called back their troops in Syria for this battle, are now advancing toward Svorin.

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German Cavalry Passing Through the Ruins of Louvain



In the foreground are seen the walls of the burned university. The interiors of the famous old school were completely destroyed by the fire started by the Germans to avenge themselves for attacks by Belgian snipers.

Wounded Left in Rheims by Comrades; Shells Kill Two

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a fine battle. "Every summer," he said, "thousands of your fellow countrymen visit the cathedral. They come again and again. They love these beautiful windows. They will not permit them to be destroyed. Will you tell them what you saw?"

It is no pleasure to tell what I saw. Shells had torn out some of the windows, the entire sash and stone frame—all was gone; only a jagged hole was left. On the floor lay broken carvings, pieces of stone from flying buttresses outside that had been hurled through the embrasures, tangled masses of leaden window sashes, like twisted coils of barbed wire, and great brass candelabras. The steel ropes that supported them had been shot away, and they had plunged to the flagging below, carrying with them their scarlet silk tassels, heavy with the dust of centuries. And everywhere was broken glass. Not one of the famous blue windows was intact. None had been totally destroyed, but each had been shattered, and through the apertures the sun blazed blantly.

We walked upon glass more precious than precious stones. It was beyond price. No one can replace it. Seven hundred years ago the secret of the glass died. Diamonds can be bought anywhere, pearls can be matched, but not the stained glass of Rheims. And under our feet, with straw and caked mud, it lay crushed into tiny fragments. When you held a piece of it between your eye and the sun, it glowed with a light that never was on land or sea.

War is only waste. The German Emperor thinks it is thousands of men in flashing breastplates at maneuvers, galloping past him, shouting, "Hoch der Kaiser." That is all of war that he has ever seen. I have seen a lot of it, and real war is his high-born officer with his eyes shot out, his peasant soldiers with their toes sticking stiffly through the straw, and of Rheims, that for centuries with their beauty have glorified the Lord, swept into a dust heap.

Rich Close Houses, Poor Flee to Plain.

Outside the cathedral I found the bombardment of the city was still going forward with spirit, and that the French batteries to the north and east were answering gun for gun. How people will act under unusual conditions no one can guess. Many of the citizens of Rheims were abandoning their homes and running through the streets leading west, trembling, weeping, incoherent with terror, carrying nothing with them. Others were continuing the routine of life with anxious, nervous faces, but making no other sign. The great majority have moved to the west of the city, to the Paris gate, and lined the road for miles, but had taken little or nothing with them, apparently intending to return at nightfall. They were all of the poorer class. The houses of the rich were closed, as were all the shops except a few cafes and those that offered for sale bread, meat and medicine.

During yesterday morning the bombardment destroyed many houses. One to each block was the average, except around the cathedral, where two hotels that face it and the Palace of Justice had been pounded, but not destroyed. Other shops and residences facing the cathedral had been ripped open from roof to cellar. In one a fire was burning briskly and firemen were playing on it with hose. No one watched them. A sight that at other times would have collected half of Rheims and blocked traffic, in the excitement of the bombardment failed to attract.

The Germans were using howitzers. Where shells hit in the street they tore up the paving blocks for a radius of five yards, and made a hole as though a water main had burst. When one hit a house that house had to be rebuilt. Before they struck it was possible to follow the direction of the shells by sound. It was like the jangling of many telegraph wires.

A hundred yards north of the cathedral I saw a house hit at the third story. The roof was of gray slate, high and sloping, with tall chimneys. When the shell exploded, the roof and chimneys disappeared. You did not see them sink and tumble; they merely vanished. They had been a part of the sky line of Rheims; then a shell removed them and another roof, 15 feet lower, became the sky line.

French Soldiers Seem "Fit" in Contrast With Germans.

I walked to the edge of the city, to the northeast, but at the outskirts all the streets were barricaded with carts and paving stones, and when I wanted to pass forward to the French batteries the officers in charge of the barricades refused permission. At this end of the town, held in reserve in case of a German advance, the streets were packed with infantry. The men were going from shop to shop trying to find one the Germans had not emptied. Tobacco was what they sought.

They told me they had been all the way to Belgium and back, but I never have seen them more fit. Where Germans are haggard and show need of food and sleep, the French were hard and moved quickly and were smiling.

One reason for this is that, even if the commissariat is slow, they are fed by their own people, and when in Belgium, by their allies. But when the Germans came, the people hide everything eatable and bolt the doors and windows, and so when the German supply wagons fail to come up, the Austrians succeeded in gaining the opposite bank.

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Women Knit, Youths Watch Falling Shells.

When I left the cathedral, I had told my chauffeur to wait near by,

not believing the Germans would continue to make it their point of attack. He waited until two houses within a hundred yards of him were knocked down, and then went away from there, leaving word with the sentry that I could find him outside the gate to Paris. When I found him he was well outside and refused to return, saying he would sleep in his car.

On the way back I met a steady stream of women and old men fleeing before the shells. Their state was very pitiful: Some of them seemed quite dazed with fear, and ran dodging from one sidewalk to the other, and as shells burst over the city they prayed aloud and crossed themselves. Others were busy behind the counters of their shops serving customers, and others stood in doorways, holding in their hands their knitting. French women of a certain class always knit. If they were waiting to be electrocuted, they would continue knitting.

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Two more typhoid patients received at the city hospital today brought the total of cases originating outside of the institution in the past month to 31. No case of typhoid or attacks of the hospital since last Thursday, when 27 had been reported, and Supt. Chapman says he is confident the epidemic there has been stopped.

The new typhoid patients are Josephine Honz, 33 years old, 1345 South Fourth street, and Peter Columbus, 22, of

THOUSANDS IN ROME CHEER FOR THE ALLIED ARMIES

Crowd Gathers Before Embassy, Crying, "Long Live England, Italy's Friend."

From a Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and London Daily News.

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ROME, via London, Sept. 22.—At yesterday's anniversary celebration of the occupation of Rome thousands of persons gathered in front of the British embassy. Cheering for the British was interspersed with shouts of "Long Live England, Italy's friend!"

The cheering was raised the embassy the applause and cheering was renewed, the more enthusiastic Italians tossing their hats into the air.

These demonstrations were preceded by a procession of fully 100,000 persons through the principal streets. Every return to the British and the allies met with outbursts from the parades.

Germany's Side of War Given in Official Interview

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east and west against the Christians?" "Who can tell?" said he. "What chance did there seem of this European devastation two months ago? The more troops England sends against us the fewer she will have in her colonies in case of such a 'holy war' as you call it. It is a plain sum and arithmetic. Perhaps after all your taking the Philippines marked the high water mark of the white race and recession has begun. Port Arthur was No. 1 for the Japanese, Kuchau No. 2. What will No. 3?"

Attitude Toward England.

Reverting to the English, he exclaims: "You in America are accustomed to think of the English as a bluff, hearty, down-right, unattractive race, fond of sport and the open air. You consider that to that is that they are certainly fond of sport and the air. There have never been a race of diplomats their equals in astuteness, subtlety, and unceasing eye on the main chance since time began."

"Well, then, there is no disguising the fact that for a time at least, prior to the growth of the Japanese question in Europe, England was your chief political rival, shall we say—your chief political rivals. Now you have shifted that feeling to the Japanese and all this time you have considered England your first friend."

"Sh! made herself so I said."

"Pray tell me, in point of trade herself, so she began to talk of your cousinships with a degree of warmth in direct ratio to your degree of strength, because she is on the world you really need to round out your boundaries."

"You mean Canada?"

"Yes, Canada, of course. I realize it is inconceivable you will ever, or at least soon, attempt to take it, but why? Because you are British, and that is so cleverly that the only possible way in which she can defend it is by making your friend and putting you on honor."

England and Her Rivals.

"You are the only people who can get at England while she commands the sea, and she has disarmed you by this coming in, and I am afraid that when Canada is filled up with 50,000,000 or 60,000,000 people and you have a 3000-mile border, most of it without natural defenses, you begin to wonder if unless human nature changes vastly to tax yourselves on both sides of that imaginary line for borders and ports and soldiers, and no one feels, unless at least a spark sets off the conflagration—that that day you sons will arise with your forces to take Canada if it comes to diplomatic affairs. England is quite alone, in a class all by herself. She combined Europe against Louis XIV, she combined America against Napoleon, against Russia in the Crimea and now against us."

British Diplomacy.

"The English take credit to themselves for many excellent qualities, but that quality in which they are supremely successful diplomatically they make little mention. They believe the seas belong to them by divine right, and most of the yellow, black and brown races of the world are under their dominion. Let them strive for one fair place in the sun they go to war with us the first time our hands are full, and blame us for the war, and we shall be beaten. They have their ditches, applaud them. However, we shall conquer this unhappy alliance against us, for Germany is one in its

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she has combined Europe against him. She fought you when you were weak; she lent her aid to the effort to split you when you were strong; and now that you are strong and her dominions are yours for the taking, she is your best friend. She sets Japan on us and makes Japan guard India."

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"If you are shut from the seas?" I asked, "how long can you subist on yourselves?"

"Until the next harvest is in," he answered. "That has all been gone into carefully. Our enemies who have delayed themselves will be disappointed in that and other things. We shall lack somewhat in tea, coffee, coco and other tropical products, but of bread, meat, potatoes and sugar we can depend on Holland for the next harvest. We would like some of your cotton, though, and copper. But we have plenty of coal, timber, coal, iron, plumb and chemicals."

"How will you finance the war?"

"Within ourselves, by war taxes and internal laws. We have no inheritance tax. Now we shall. Likewise heavier duties on beer and tobacco."

"You will make no external loans—borrowed money from abroad?"

"No, none."

"As to a war indemnity from France, it's a poor Parlor."

"France chose to appeal to the God of Battles," he answered. "We asked her to stay out. She chose war, and now she shall have it, with all its consequences."

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Pageant Choral Rehearsal.

Frederick Fischer, director of the Pageant Choral Society, will hold a second rehearsal at the Army and Navy Club at 8 p.m. Thursday. Voice trials for applicants to the chorus will be held tomorrow and Thursday at Aeolian Hall, 1004 Olive street, between 11:30 a.m. and 4 p.m.

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The most ordinary of rooms can be raised entirely above the commonplace if the curtains and other draperies are carefully selected. Consider carefully the following—see the curtains—perhaps you'll find among them just what you need.

Imported French Arabians
A number of excellent patterns in the Arab color, made on a splendid quality of cable net, with heavy edges; very desirable for living rooms, libraries or dining rooms; specially priced at, per pair.....

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We have just received the late patterns in novelty effects for sash or long curtains. These are direct copies of fine embroideries, splendid for most any room in the house; specially priced from 50c to 75c per yard.

Do not have in your home anything that you do not know to be useful or believe to be beautiful.

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Weather:

Official forecast: Fair tonight and tomorrow; much cooler tonight.

Theater Tickets for all leading attractions are on sale at our Public Service Bureau, Main Floor.

See other important store news in tonight's Times.

This store's Public Library Branch is for all who use Library Books. It will save you many steps.

Extra Special Column

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40c Chocolates, 25c Lb. Just to make more popular our regular 40c grade, the deliciousness of which is known to so many. (Main Floor.)

\$1 and \$1.50 Stockings Women's pure ligrain Silk Stockings, in black or white, double soles, toes and high heels, at 65c pair. (Main Floor.)

\$2, \$2.50 Undermuslins Women's Princess Slips, Petticoats, Drawers, Corset Covers and Fancy Camisoles, of nainsook and net, prettily trimmed—slightly soiled. \$1 Choice (Second Floor.)

\$1.55 and \$1.75 Soutepants Of Aluminum, in Berlin style—seamless with cover and in five or six-quart capacity; choice, while a lot of 500 lasts, 87c (Fifth Floor.)

\$2.50 to \$3 Vases Various shapes, sizes and decorations—14 to 19 inches high—unrestricted choice at \$1.90 each, 26c, \$80, \$89 and even \$50 FOR YOU TO CHOOSE, At \$9.75 and \$14.75 (Main Floor.)

59c Baby Flouncings St. Gall Embroidery, Baby Flouncings, with ruffled edge and neatly embroidered; while the lot lasts, 39c Monday at the yard. (Main Floor.)

\$2 Dress Trimmings Beaded, Spangled, Embroidered and Tinsel Dress Trimmings, all colors—regularly \$2 to \$2.50 yard, choice \$1 Monday at yard. (Main Floor.)

\$2 Scrim Curtains Trimmed with handmade Cluny lace, and are splendidly made. Come in beige color only. Special \$1.25 Tuesday, pair. (Fourth Floor.)

\$5 Lace Curtains Of extra fine quality, and in a beautiful assortment of designs to make your selection \$3 from, at, pair. (Fourth Floor.)

\$3.50 and \$4 Corsets In plain and fancy materials—extra long models, with low and medium bust, in a good assortment \$1.95 of sizes—choice (Second Floor.)

H. & W. Brassieres Three new styles—of fine quality—cambric—embroidery yoke back and front—sizes 34 to 46-inch bust—measurement—special, 59c (Second Floor.)

Infants' 50c Shirts Made of merino, in open-down-front style, with scalloped edge—slightly imperfect, 25c (Second Floor.)

Infants' \$2.95 Coats Of imported Bedford cord, in cape style—trimmed in ribbon and lace—special, \$1.95 (Second Floor.)

50c Bungalow Aprons Of percale, in stripes, trimmed with solid colored 35c bands—special, (Second Floor.)

Knit Underwear \$1 Union Suits, 69c Women's Swiss ribbed Cotton Union Suits—medium weight. High neck, long sleeves—or low neck, elbow sleeves and ankle length.

50c Union Suits, 39c Women's fine ribbed Cotton Union Suits—slightly fleeced, low neck, elbow sleeves and ankle length.

19c Cotton Vests, 121/2c Women's Swiss ribbed Cotton Vests—low neck, sleeveless and mercerized—taped neck and arms. Extra sizes. (Main Floor.)

Great Sale of Suitings and Broadcloths

A greatly watched-for event by hundreds of women who have profited by similar sales which have been held each season about this time.

We contracted for the entire output of trial pieces, remnants and coupon ends from one of the country's best mills.

The lot offered tomorrow is positively the best one we have ever secured for one of these sales.

The lengths are from 1 1/4 to 5 yards, and all of the pieces are in the 54-inch width.

The following gives an idea of the wide range of stylish fabrics included:

Broadcloths **Serges**
Mannish Weaves **Velours**
Cheviots **Basket Weaves**

89c Yd.

Duvelines **Eponges**
Polo Cloths **Zibelines**
Ratines **Novelty Weaves**

There are plenty of all the wanted colors, including navy blue, plum, brown, green, wine, taupe, red, also black.

Off the Piece You Could Not Duplicate These Fabrics for Less Than \$2, \$2.50 and Even \$3 a Yard

Small wonder we are all enthused at being able to offer these splendid suitings and cloths at 89c yd. The entire center aisle of the Second Floor Dress Goods Section, as well as the Main Floor Bargain Squares 9 and 10 will be utilized for this sale.

These Magnificent New Beauty Parlors Are a Source of Wonderment and Delight to All Who Visit Them

Everything that present day science could suggest to make them more sanitary and most up-to-date has been done, and the result is a glistening white revelation of cleanliness and attractiveness, the like of which is not to be found in this city or this country.

But, nevertheless, even with all these improvements, prices have not been advanced, and our stock of finest quality Half Goods is most complete. (Third Floor.)



Novelties in Blouses at \$7.50

There is an excellent selection in both the Dressy Blouses as well as the smart Tailored Blouses, in darker shades, so appropriate for wear with the new Fall Suits.

A number of beautiful laces have been utilized. Some of the Waists are combined with taffeta. Others are braid trimmed, with the new cape back and flowers at throat.

There is quite an unlimited assortment—all at the above price alone—\$7.50—and you can imagine how well prepared we are, at a wide range of prices, which covers the means and extremes of the blouse stocks as a whole. (Third Floor.)

OUR foreign commissioner had almost given up hopes of getting the cases containing these **Beautiful Tunics**



through the line—but once this was accomplished, the good ship Espene made a record sail, and as a result here are these delightful little Tunics which you can wear over one of your old garments or which can be made up into a

Fashionable New Costume

Included are Tunics to wear over draped gowns—chic, new Short Tunics of chiffon, decorated with beads and spangles—Tunics in panel effects—Tunics of net and chiffon, richly beaded, with pointed or round backs—in short, there are scores of these garments in the new styles and shapes.

Gathered from the shops of reputable makers, and our commissioners write that the purchase was made on the day of the declaration of war.

There are Tunics which have every right to be marked \$20, \$25, \$30, \$35 and even \$50 FOR YOU TO CHOOSE,

At \$9.75 and \$14.75 (Main Floor.)

Saving of 1/3 on These Samples of Infants' and Children's Long and Short Coats

Newest models and styles, secured from one of the largest and most exclusive New York makers.

Materials include broadcloth, velvet, corduroy, zibeline and chinchilla, and the trimmings consist of velvet, braid and fancy buttons. Sizes up to 5 years.

Infants' and Children's \$4.50 Sample Coats, \$3

Infants' and Children's \$6 Sample Coats, \$4

Infants' and Children's \$7.50 Sample Coats, \$5

Infants' and Children's \$9 Sample Coats, \$6

Infants' and Children's \$11 Sample Coats, \$7.50 (Second Floor.)

The Sale of Black Silks

Is the result of many months of preparation. There are 10,000 yards of fine Black Silks, Satins and Velvets for this event.

Note The Black Japanese and China Silks, secured from the largest importers of Oriental fabrics, contain a number of pieces which are styled as imperfect, which applies to the finish of these materials. In a great majority of cases the casual eye will observe no imperfection.

50c Black China Silk, 86-Inch, 25c Yard

50c Black China Silk, 27-Inch, 29c Yard

75c Black Shanghai Pongee, 27-Inch, 39c Yard

75c Black Japanese Silk (Water-proof), 27-Inch, 49c Yard

80c Black Japanese Habutai, 36-Inch, 59c Yard

90c Black Japanese Habutai, 27-Inch, 69c Yard

\$1.25 Black Taffeta, 89c

Soft bright Chiffon Dress Taffeta, fast black, excellent quality and 36 inches wide.

Black Satins, \$2 to \$4

Handsome Black Satin of extreme width (54 inches), for suits and the new cape coats. Special value at \$2 to \$4 yd.

1 Black Velvets, 59c

Fast-black silk-faced Millinery Velvet. Special, 59c yd. (Second Floor.)

Seamless Triple Extra Brussels Rugs, \$13.50

(Size 8 ft. 6 in. x 10 ft. 6 in.)

A wide assortment of these splendid Rugs, in new all-over designs. This is the heaviest Brussels, woven and Wednesday's price of \$13.50 is a most uncommon figure.

(Fourth Floor.)

"Quick-Selling" Prices on Books

In reality, a clearing of odd lots and other Books which have outstayed their welcome, in order to make room for Holiday lines which are already beginning to arrive.

15 copies of "The Queen of May," a book of fairy tales by Frank R. Stockton—regularly \$2.50, at 75c

10 copies of "Percival Club's Festivals and Plays," for the school year, in six volumes, many illustrations—regularly \$2.50, at 75c, each

A few copies of "Kenyon Cox, Painters and Sculptors," "Old Masters and New"—regularly \$1.10, at 50c, each

"Royal Romances of Today," including Eugenie of Spain, Alexandra of Russia, and Elena of Italy—regularly \$2.50, \$4.10.

15 copies of "The 1913 Chatto,"—regularly 90c, at 39c each.

2 sets of "Saint Nicholas for 1913"—regularly \$4, set, at 32c

(Second Floor.)

Savings in Housewares

EXTRA—75c to \$1.15 Glass Shelves, 69c

Glass Shelves for the bathroom—fitted with nickel-plated brackets. Sizes 18, 24 and 30 in. Regularly 75c to \$1.15. Choice, 69c

Bathroom Mirrors, \$1.85

Well-made of hardwood, white enameled—mirror outside and three glass shelves inside. Easy to keep clean and are sanitary—special, \$1.19

Glass Towel Bars, 25c

Crystal Towel Bars, with nickel-plated brackets—18-in. size. Just 200 of the regular 39c kind—regularly \$1.25, at 25c each

\$1.25 Polish Mop, 89c

A lot of 200 Wizard Polish Oil Mops, which absorb dust, and are splendid for polishing and cleaning painted floors and woodwork—special at 85c each

(Fifth Floor.)

Men's 50c Fleeced Shirts or Drawers, 39c

Heavy ribbed cotton Shirts, fleeced, with close-fitting French necks and faced fronts, long sleeves—Drawers in ankle length. Sizes 30 to 46. Special, 39c garment (Basement.)

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Heavy ribbed cotton Shirts, fleeced, with close-fitting French necks and faced fronts, long sleeves—Drawers in ankle length. Sizes 30 to 46. Special, 39c garment (Basement.)

500 Pcs. of Swiss Curtains

We offer for Wednesday's special selling in the Basement, 500 pairs of Curtains, of good quality Swiss, with five rows of tucks for insertion, and full hemmed ruffle.

These are splendid for bedroom windows, and the material alone, if bought by the yard, would cost considerably more than Wednesday's price for the complete Curtain.

Lace Curtain Corners, Extra Special—19c, 29c and 39c Each

These are the lower ends of Lace Curtains of exceptionally fine quality, and as many as fifteen or twenty of a design. The Curtains sell regularly at \$5 to \$6 per pair.

Curtain Swiss, 10c Yd.

One hundred pieces—splendid quality and designs—36 inches wide.

(Basement.)

3 O'Clock Special

Fancy printed, light and dark colored, fleeced

Dress Flannelettes of 10c quality, special at

6c Yd. (Basement.)

Basement's Notable Sales—Wednesday

\$1 Black Broadcloth Suitings, 89c Yard

All-wool broadcloths, in black only, for coat suits. 56 inches wide. Special, Wednesday, 89c yard.

\$1 Black Suitings, 79c Yd.

Serge Suitings, in diagonal weave—an excellent-wearing pretty gray mixture—56 inches wide. (Basement.)

The Basement Garment Section Shows a Remarkable Collection of Women's New Fall Suits

At \$15

Every one is distinctly new in style and material.

Many of them are exact reproductions of the higher-priced models.

Materials are broadcloths, diagonals, poplins, gabardines and government serges, in such shades as plumb, green, brown, Copenhagen, navy, also black.

As to Styles—

The new Directoire and the semi-basque are

NO WATER TO STOP FIRE

Fire destroyed the residence of William Cordell in Kenwood Springs at 1 o'clock this morning. The family was away at the time.

The only available water supply was a small creek about 500 feet from the house, and firemen from the engine company at Union and Cote Brilliante avenues who responded to the alarm could not pump sufficient pressure through their hose to subdue the flames. The damage was estimated at \$3000.

\$10.00
Places this high-grade
"Orpheus"
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in your own home.



Balance \$10 a month

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With each Orpheus Player-Piano we send a piano stool, player bench, handsome scarf, 24 rolls of music, free course of piano lessons, and free membership in our Music Roll Library.

Our Music Roll Library is probably the largest in St. Louis.

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12th and Olive

YOUTH CONFESSES TO TRIPLE KILLING ON KANSAS FARM

Ward of Murdered Man Tells
Officers He Was Avenging
Mother and Sister.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
GREAT BEND, Kan., Sept. 22.—The mystery of the triple murder on a farm near this city Sept. 9, was solved today when officers announced that they had a complete signed confession from Tommy White, 21 years old, of this city, that it was he who killed Lee Morgan, Miss Mayme McQuillan and Clarence McGugin. The youth was under suspicion from the start, but was not arrested until this morning. The confession implicates an accomplice, whose name White has not disclosed.

Young White was a ward of Lee Morgan, who was married by Mr. and Mrs. Morgan before they were divorced. The boy stayed at the Morgan house with Morgan and Mayme McQuillan. Morgan's sister-in-law and housekeeper, most of the time. McGugin was a farm hand. White says that he often tried to break away from the influence of the place, but always was induced to go back and that he "had the right to kill them."

His parents, White declares in his confession, were separated when he was a child because of Morgan and that his young sister was wronged by Morgan.

The boy's intent was to avenge his sister and another, the youth declared.

The confession relates that White and his accomplice went to the Morgan farmhouse the night of the murder and first shot Morgan, who was elderly, through a window while he was seated at the supper table. When his sister-in-law stooped over him they shot her to death. McGugin, the farm hand, tried to escape, and fearing that he had been recognized, White shot him three times as he ran through the yard.

See the Fox Trot. Danced at Dreamland every night.

Odd Fellows Gain \$5,389 in Year.
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 22.—Statistical reports submitted to the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, at the opening session of the annual convention of the body here, showed a net gain of \$5,389 in membership in a year.

To own, rentable, but unrented, property is extravagance, avoidable if the property is kept listed in the Post-Dispatch Big House, Home and Real Estate Guide.

Our Music Roll Library is probably the largest in St. Louis.

MAY, STERN & CO.
12th and Olive

Special mention should be made of a beautiful Satin Wrap which has flaring cape back, waistcoat front, draped sleeves, fur collar and a smart sash finished with tassels. The padded lining makes this a very practical garment at a moderate price—

A Smart, New Cape
trimmings and collar of Chinola fur, and a very effective girdle in the flat style. This wrap is shown in a soft shade of green and as well as gold.

Third Floor.

A Charming Display of Evening Wraps for the Veiled Prophet Ball and Other Occasions

A splendid and very attractive showing of Evening Wraps in the latest modes of the season, including the popular cape with waistcoat and the more practical coat with set-in sleeves and large fur collar and cuffs. The fabrics represented are Velour, Satin and Brocade in dainty pastel shades of blue, green and rose, brilliant red, soft midnight blue and the always-exquisite black.

The prices range from \$17.50 to \$69.50. The higher grade Imported Wraps are

\$17.50 to \$69.50
\$75.00 to \$225.00
Price \$87.50
Third Floor.

Our Stock of Infants' Fall Apparel Is Complete

Mothers will delight in the many new and beautiful garments, and other accessories, which may now be found in our Infants' Wear Section. In fact, the variety is so great that we can but suggest a few in this advertisement.

We have Cashmere Saucers, with hand designs, priced at \$1.50 to \$6.50

Also Cashmere Wrappers, with hand designs, priced at \$2.25 to \$14.50

Infants' Jap-silk-weave, figured Crepe Saucers, with silk border and silk-lined throughout. Price \$1.00

Infants' fine hand-scalloped Pillow Slips with dainty hand-designs and hand-embroidered drawstring. Price \$3.75

We have Cashmere Hood-Shawls, with hand designs, priced at \$2.00 to \$5.75

We have a nice and very complete stock of Infants' Nainsukh Long Dresses, including those with yoke and in long waist effects, for children of 6 months to 5 years. The smocked Dress illustrated is priced at \$25c to \$27.50.

Prices range from 25c to \$27.50.

Third Floor.

The Vose Player-piano Is Rich in Tone and Finish and Its Mechanism Is Perfect

The piano has been hundreds of years in reaching its present stage of perfection. The self-playing piano, variously designated, is still in its infancy. In view of this fact, the Vose Player-piano is a revelation in player-piano quality. "Better no player than a mediocre one," was the Vose watchword.

The Vose Company had over sixty years of Vose piano building to guide it, but waited until it had newer and better methods for making a player-piano.

**IN THE VOSE PLAYER-
THE VOSE PIANO**

The public is offered a player-piano of unusual merit and achievement. Not only is it easy to play, but through its sensitiveness and expression devices it permits of the elastic human touch to a delightful degree, while beyond and above all it has as its foundation the sweet resonant tone of the original Vose.

Just step into our Piano Salon and listen to the Vose Player-piano for yourself. Note its artistic appearance, its rich tone, its responsiveness to individual expression. You will then realize that the Vose is the player-piano that you have been looking for.

We are exclusive representatives for the Chickering, Fischer, Haines Brothers, Milton and other Player-pianos. Prices range from \$370 up. Most convenient payments may be arranged.

Sixth Floor.

Tango Scarf

The "Tango" idea is in the coloring. Instead of the delicate pinks and blues you have come to associate with scarfs, this has three bright bands of color running lengthwise. Striking? You will find it as useful as it is novel. Although the Fleisher Yarns are the finest made, the quantity required for this scarf costs less than a dollar. Send the coupon below for free directions. The yarn used is Fleisher's Shetland Floss—one of the sixteen

FLEISHER YARNS

Appearance, fit and wear—three things necessary to the success of your work depend upon the yarn you use. The uniform high qualities of the Fleisher Yarns are the best possible guarantee of lasting satisfaction. Whatever kind of yarn you need always insist on Fleisher's—look for the trade-mark on every skein.

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Everyone Is Invited to See
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Rare Old Paintings Now
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Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney
OLIVE and LOCUST from NINTH to TENTH
The Best Goods for the Price No Matter What the Price.

Whenever You Need Mourning
Apparel and Accessories of
Any Kind, Let Our Mourning
Department Supply You

Let Vandervoort's Supply Your Every Need for the Veiled Prophet's Ball

Our Stock of Evening Attire Is Now at Its Best and Has Never Been So Complete

With the Veiled Prophet's Ball but two weeks away, those who are expecting to attend it will be busy from now on assembling the various parts of their costumes for that occasion.

At Vandervoort's you can choose the new gown, corset, gloves, shoes, stockings and underwear that will be needed from stocks that are fresh and complete in every detail. If you intend having your evening dress for this event made, we can make it for you, or furnish the necessary materials.

Never Have We Assembled a More Beautiful Lot of Fall Suits and Coats Than We Have This Season

The new Fall and Winter Suits that we have gathered are exceedingly smart and stylish in every detail and include short coats, hip-length coats and those in the popular Redingote effects, as well as handsome three-piece suits.

The skirts of these suits are made on straight lines with yoke or long tunic and we have both tailored and semi-tailored suits, as well as those intended for dress occasions, in broadcloths, serges, gaberdine, wool poplin, granite cloth, velvet and combinations of velvet and broadcloth, etc. Every color that is popular for the new season will be found represented.

\$16.50 to \$125.00

Suits at \$16.50 to \$28.50

We wish to direct special attention to our popular-price Suits of broadcloth, gaberdine, serges, granite cloth, cheviots and wool poplin, which are made in Redingote and hip-length styles, some semi-tailored, others in styles suitable for dress occasions. These have the new skirts which show hip-yokes or long tunics. These suits are trimmed with velvet, Caracul cloth, fur, silk braid and other fancy trimmings, and all the latest shades for Fall are well represented. Prices

\$16.50 to \$28.50

The Suit Illustrated Is Priced at \$37.50



Suits at \$35.00 to \$50.00

At prices that are slightly higher, will be found some exceptionally attractive models, including hip-length coats made on basque lines, as well as long-tunic models.

Some of these are trimmed with velvet, Caracul cloth, etc., while others are semi-tailored.

The skirts show the plain or plaited long tunics, as well as yoke effects. These garments are made of triacetate cloth, wool poplin, serges, gaberdine and broadcloth, in navy, seal brown, green, plum and black. Prices

\$35.00 to \$50.00

Long Coats for Fall

We have assembled a very beautiful line of Coats for street, afternoon, automobiling and general wear in three-quarter and seven-eighths lengths. These are made on loose, box, semi-tailored and in belted styles—in plain or the more elaborate models. They are trimmed with fur, wide silk braid or Caracul cloth.

These garments come in broadcloth, velvet, chinchilla, wool poplin, velour, Scotch mixtures, etc., in all the correct shades for Fall. Prices,

\$14.00 to \$75.00

Third Floor.

A Designer Is Now Here From the Warner and Redfern Factory



Miss McCauley—an associate designer from the Redfern and Warner Corset factory—is with us for this week only.

Miss McCauley has had a broad experience in the designing, manufacturing and fitting of both the Redfern and Warner Rust-Proof Corsets and will attend, personally, to your fittings this week.

Every Member of the Family May Need a Different Style of Corset

The new models for Fall are here and every figure, from the school girl, young miss, the small woman, the medium figure, as well as the very stout woman, wearing size 36, may be fitted in some of these excellent models.

The new gowns for Fall, with their severe lines, require a corset somewhat higher in the bust. See these new models before purchasing your new gown.

We have nine different Redfern models, including the higher as well as low-bust styles, at prices ranging from \$3.00 to \$10.00

There are also fifteen different Warner Rust Proof Corsets at prices ranging from \$1.00 to \$4.00

Another splendid Warner model is size 924. It is of white brocade, has medium bust and long hips and is embroidery-trimmed; six hose supporters attached. Sizes 19 to 26. Price \$3.00

Still another beautiful, new Redfern model is of exquisite white silk brocade with medium bust and slightly higher back with elastic back gussets; six silk elastic hose supporters attached. Price \$3.00

Redfern Corset-style 7833—is new this season and is made of French tulle batiste. It is slightly curved in at the waist line, has flat back and medium bust; six firm hose supporters attached. Price \$4.00

French tulle batiste. It is slightly curved in at the waist line, has flat back and medium bust; six firm hose supporters attached; sizes 20 to 30. Price \$4.00

Third Floor.

Come to Us for Your Victrola and Records



Good Service is the keynote in our Victrola Department. There you will find the most courteous and experienced salespeople who will be delighted to attend to your every want.

Our demonstration rooms, where you can listen to all the new records, and any old ones in which you may be interested, are sound proof and more than luxurious.

You Can Buy on Our Easy Payment Plan

We carry a complete line of all Victrolas, which may be bought upon our easy-payment plan, which ranges from \$5.00 down and \$2 a month for the \$15.00 Victrola up to \$15.00 down and \$10.00 a month for the \$200.00 Machines.

Machines Kept in Running Order

Please bear in mind that all machines purchased of us are kept in perfect running order for one year—without charge.

Our Repair Department is complete in every detail and is ready at all times to serve you.

Sixth Floor.

Those who are planning the making of new Waists and Undergarments for Fall should be sure to see our new White Goods.

Splash Vests and Fancy Hairpins, Snow Cloths, new patterns for boys and children's dresses, 36 and 40 inches wide. The yard 25c

40-inch imported Lingerie for fine underwear and baby outfit. The yard 25c

Chimosa Longloft is 42 inches wide and highly recommended for serviceable garments 10-yard piece priced at \$2.75

Second Floor.

Inquest Into Death of Maid. The Coroner began an inquest this morning into the death of Ida Williams, 22 years old, a domestic, who died yesterday at the Deaconess Hospital from a fractured skull. She fell down a flight of stairs at 838A Maple avenue, where she was employed, Saturday night.

Advertise your property as though you believed its sale or rental to be important, by keeping it listed in the Big House, Home and Real Estate Directory.

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Another Group of Unusual Values in High-Class Suits at \$24.75

These great suit offerings excel from every viewpoint—variety, style and quality. Not only are we showing the greatest range of the most captivating styles, but they are made up of the finest and most desired materials, in all of the newest shades of the season, including black, and purchasing as we do in large quantities for our chain of stores, we are able to provide values of an unusual character. We urge you to come and see this new lot of splendid suits and to make your selection early. Four of the many models are below illustrated and described.

\$24.75



No. 841 is made of fine wool bengaline—in black, midnight blue and all of the other desired Fall shades. It is an excellent Redingote model, fully lined with silk. Made with overlaid velvet collar, velvet and cloth belt and velvet cuffs. The skirt is in the yoke style with a slight flare to give it a chic appearance. Price, \$24.75.

No. 264 is a splendid model intended for misses and women who desire dainty, youthful looking garments. Material is a fancy weave—in black, navy, brown and Tete de Negre shades. The coat is 36 inches long, lined with guaranteed silk. It is a straight line model and the velvet buttons and trimming produce a very stunning effect. The skirt is a flare model. Price, \$24.75.

No. 885 is a Bedingote model of chiffon broadcloth—in black and all the desired shades—has shirred back—collar, cuffs and bottom trimmed with lustrous crushed plush. The skirt is made on straight lines and is neatly finished with plush buttons. A very high grade Suit. Price, \$24.75.

More than fifty other models in high-class Tailored Suits are included in this great sale at \$24.75.

New White Polo Coats, \$7.50 and \$16.50

Excellent models, just received, will be placed on sale Wednesday.

At \$7.50 we offer splendid Coats of white cut polo cloth, 36 inches long, made with wide belt, large patch pockets—others with full ripple placket.

At \$16.50 we offer a wide range of clever Polo Coats, made of extra quality white Wromboldt chinchilla—unusually well tailored and trimmed.

New Serge Dresses, \$5

We direct especial attention to our showing of charming modes in Serge Dresses at this popular price. The qualities are unusual and the styles are exceptionally attractive. They are the best values we have ever been able to provide at this extremely low price.

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This group includes a number of combination Serge and Satin Dresses, in the modified Basque models—made with girdles and sashes—choice at \$10.

Ultra Styles in Serge Dresses

And combinations of Serge and Satin—the most becoming Dresses of the day—on sale for considerably less than identical styles and qualities are being priced throughout the city. There are two splendid groups worthy of \$16.75 and \$19.75 special attention at.

Blouses—Special at \$2.95

A new lot of fine flowered Chiffon Blouses—exquisitely trimmed with lace—the daintiest styles that we have ever assembled. All new arrivals, and we suggest that you make early selection.



\$16.95

A Crooked Nose Often Spoils a Pretty Face—Have it Corrected.

NO PAIN, DELAY OR BANDAGES
All other facial defects corrected such as Hump Nose, Warts, Outstanding Marks, Dark Nose, Scarves, Sunburned Face, Large Lines, Wrinkles, All Skin Diseases, Double Chin, Freckles.

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Very Effective Method for Banishing Hairs

At very little cost any woman can rid herself of her unwanted hair. This is made by mixing some water with a little powder. This paste is applied upon the hairy surface for 2 or 3 minutes, then washed off. The hair will be washed, when every trace of hair will have vanished. No harm results from this method, but care should be used to buy real deodorants—ADV.

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Furred Tongue, Bad Taste, Indigestion, Sallow Skin and Miserable Headaches come from a torpid liver and constipated bowels, which cause your stomach to become filled with undigested food, which sours and ferments. That's the first step to untold misery—indigestion, foul gases, bad breath, yellow skin, men-cleansing, too, occasionally.

CANDY CATHARTIC
Cascarets
10 CENT BOXES—ANY DRUG STORE
ALSO 25 & 50 CENT BOXES

WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

MAYOR TO DECLARE BRIDGE ELECTION DAY A HOLIDAY

City Offices Will Be Closed to Give Employees Chance to Work for Bond Issue.

Mayor Kiel has notified the Citizens' Free Bridge Committee that he will declare Friday, Nov. 6—the day of the special free bridge bond issue election—an official holiday to be known as "St. Louis day."

All the municipal offices will be closed. The Mayor will request that all business houses close for at least half of the day not only to give their employees a chance to vote for the free bridge bonds, but also to work on the campaign.

The Employers' Committee of the Citizens' Committee arranged with Mayor Kiel for the special holiday. This committee is comprised of C. R. Lupton, chairman; H. E. Hafner and G. Van Brunt. Lupton is president of the West End Business Men's Association.

Mass Meeting in City Hall.

The Citizens' Committee is working out plans which it believes will insure the adoption of the bond issue by a big vote. A meeting of the representatives of the 114 organizations now affiliated with the Citizens' Bridge Committee in the campaign, will be held in the rotunda of the city hall Monday night, Oct. 12. Plans will be announced which, it is believed, will result in the different factions which have been fighting over the free bridge problems to join in the movement for its completion without further delay.

Chairs and benches will be placed in the rotunda and a special speakers' stand will be erected. Speeches will be made by experts familiar with every phase of the bridge situation.

An executive committee to represent all the organizations and factions also will be appointed. This committee will represent the trades and business interests of the city.

An office on the ground floor of a building in the business center of the city will be opened about Oct. 1. From this office the campaign will be directed.

The Citizens' Committee expects to have not less than 2000 men at work at the polls election day. Volunteers are being called for from the organizations affiliated with the Citizens' Committee.

C. F. Wenneker Early Volunteer.

Among the first volunteers was Charles F. Wenneker of the Million Population Club, who agreed to devote six hours time to getting his friends and neighbors to the polls. Louis Wollbrink of the West End Business Men's Association, which has already listed 22 volunteers, agreed to work 14 hours. The Slave District Improvement Association furnished the names of F. L. Down, C. M. Ernst, Wayne E. Wheeling and Charles H. Knappaedt, as volunteer workers.

Many speakers have volunteered to make speeches during the campaign.

Among those who have offered their services are Fred Armster Jr., Dr. M. Baldwin, Henry W. Bartle, J. M. Broomworth, Ephraim Captain, Maurice J. Cassidy, John L. Corley, George W. Coombes, John H. Curran, Dwight F. Currie, Scott R. Dekin, Fred English, Christy M. Farrar, Herman W. Fay, Robert C. Grier, John H. Gundlach, Luke E. Hart, Richard S. Hawes, Judge Thomas C. Hennings, Dr. William Preston Hill, Wilbur B. Jones, R. R. Klaube, R. G. Koebbe, C. J. Kostuba, George B. Logan, C. R. Lupton, Walter R. Mayne, Lawrence McDaniel, Lee Meriwether, M. J. Mulvihill, A. A. O'Halloran, Alroy S. Phillips, Richard Reichardt, F. J. O'Reiller, John H. Sommerich, Arthur Stoehr, C. M. Talbert, Perry Post Taylor, J. E. Turner, H. S. Tuttle, William Wedemeyer, Charles F. Wenneker, Percy Werner, Joseph Wheeler, Frank B. Williams, Louis Wollbrink, Truman Post Young, E. B. Batchelor, L. H. Hartke, John C. Higgin, Frank J. Houston, Edwin C. Knappaedt, Walter F. Schelp, Father Leonard, H. Gustave E. Enders, William S. Bedell and C. P. Strother.

The Salesmen's Association of the Real Estate Exchange will have a meeting at 3:30 p. m. Friday, at which plans for furthering the free bridge campaign will be considered.

The Real Estate Exchange has offered to furnish 250 volunteers for work at the polls election day.

CORSETS MADE TO ORDER

Don't ruin fine gowns by wearing them over ill-fitting corsets. Try a "Made-for-You" garment. St. Louis Corset Co.'s, Bishop, Broadway and Washington, entrance opp. Nugent's.

DRIVES BANK EMPLOYEE INTO VAULT, STEALS \$1400

Unmasked Robber Escapes in Auto After Raid in Kansas City Suburb.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 22.—Armed with a pistol, but unmasked, a bandit entered the People's State Bank at Dodson, Mo., a suburb of this city, yesterday afternoon, locked Hugh Moore, the assistant cashier, in a vault and escaped in a motor car, with \$1400 of the bank's funds.

A customer of the bank released Moore, who shouted the combination of the lock through the vault door. Moore was alone in the bank when the bandit forced him into the vault.

Moore is a son of T. T. Moore, a director of the bank and former Postmaster of Hickman's Mills, Mo.

Dance the "Giggle." Dreamland now open every night.

NEGRO STAB GAS CO. ENGINEER.
George Fells, engineer at the Mullany street plant of the Laclede Gas Co., ordered his helper, Ben Howard, a negro, to "fire up" last night. They quarreled and the negro stabbed Fells in the breast. Fells is 26 years old and lives at 1915 North Broadway. He was taken to the city hospital. Howard escaped.

NEWSPAPER OFFICE IS DAMAGED BY DYNAMITE

The Bonanza of Tonopah, Nev., Sides With Union Miners in Controversy With I. W. W.

TONOPAH, Nev., Sept. 22.—The office of the Bonanza, an afternoon newspaper, was damaged early today by the explosion of three sticks of dynamite under the corner of the room occupied by the job printing plant. A corner of the building was torn off and a garage adjoining was wrecked. Windows a

block away were broken by the concussion. The damage to the job plant was slight. The newspaper plant is located in an adjoining building, and this was not damaged.

There has been friction between the members of the Western Federation of Miners and the Industrial Workers of the World in Tonopah and Goldfield lately and the Bonanza has taken an active part in the controversy, favoring the side of the federation miners.

HARRY will be your sweetheart if you wear a diamond ring at Loft's Bros. & Co., National Credit Jewelers, 200 N. 6th st.

THE ENTIRE 2nd FLOOR OVER NEW AMERICAN 10¢ STORE

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\$12.75 All-Wool FALL SUITS
WEDNESDAY, **\$4.95**
Of heavy all-wool Duveline; 42 in. long; with the new raglan sleeves; colors are green, brick, mahogany, navy and black; misses' and women's sizes.

\$15 New Fall BALMACAAN COATS
WEDNESDAY, **\$5.00**
Of all-wool Duveline; 42 in. long; with the new raglan sleeves; colors are green, brick, mahogany, navy and black; misses' and women's sizes.

\$18.75 Beautiful REDINGOTE SUITS
WEDNESDAY, **\$8.75**
45 inches long; half satin lined; yoke-effect skirts; materials all-wool fine serges; colors, black, brown, green, plum and navy; misses' and women's sizes.

1000 UNTRIMMED VELVET AND PLUSH HATS
\$2, \$2.50 and \$2.98 Values
Choice, Wednesday Only, **\$1.00**

22 new shapes including sailors—also small, medium and large shapes in all the other new models.

The Latest Craze—White CHINCHILLA COATS
WEDNESDAY, **\$5.95**
Another lot of those \$2.50 New Fall Shoes on sale tomorrow; all styles of toes and heels; sizes to fit all; special, **\$1.95**

Boys' Solid School Shoes, special, \$1.00
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Wall Paper
WEDNESDAY our great sale of Wall Paper, which began Monday.

Beautiful combination Papers, regular price 5c and 6 1/2c; special, Monday, per roll, **1c**
20 beautiful patterns of 8c and 10c Papers; **3 3/4c** per roll.

Best grade imported, nonfaded Oatmeals, the 25c kind, with borders; special, per roll, **12 1/2c**
30 patterns of good 12 1/2c Wall Paper; for parlor, dining room and halls; per roll, **5c**

Boys' Fall and Winter Suits
Values up to **\$4**
\$1.95

BOYS' Sturdy Suits: made of cashmere and wool; in the newest styles, including the new Balkan effect; very neat patterns; sizes 6 to 16; regular \$4; special, an idea value at **\$1.95**

INFANTS' SLIPS
ONE lot of Infants' Slips: made of rayon, bishop, etc.; sizes up to 44; the regular value is \$4.00; Wednesday only, **\$1.95**

Men's \$4 PANTS
HERE is a great value; sturdy worsteds; all made up to 44; the regular value is \$4.00; Wednesday only, **\$1.95**

49c Wool BROCades, 25c
36 INCHES wide, suitable for short models: meadowlark, four supporters attached; sizes 10 to 30; 5c values at **14 1/2c**

40c Window Shades
BEST quality opaque Cloth size, measured on string rollers; 40c quality; **19c** on sale Wednesday.

Men's, Women's & Children's 10c 25c HOSE,
10c Bremants; assorted lengths Wash Goods, gingham, madras and flannelette; on sale, per yard, **5c**

20c Panama Suiting; brocaded pongee, Galatea cloth, dress gingham, etc.; per yard, **10c**

25c Dress Plaids; wool finished, 36 inches wide; also fine French Crepe and Japonica Silks at, per yard, **15c**

EXTRA BARGAINS IN HOME NEEDS
3 1/2c Water Glasses; large, 1c
each; small, 1c
each; galvanized iron, 39c
each; clothesline; 90 feet; extra heavy quality, 9c

65c Linoleum
REMNANTS, 4 yards wide, made of very finest quality, choice patterns, large selection, lengths of 8 to 30 yds.; special, **39c**

\$12 Brussels Rugs
SIZES 9x12, choice patterns, all colors; special, **\$8.95**

One style exactly like cut and about 50 other styles to choose from. MATERIALS—Zebelines, boucles, tibets, astrakhan, wide wale diagonals, etc.—3/4 and full lengths. Some full lined—large silk frog fastenings. Colors include black and navy. Every size for juniors, misses and women—extra sizes, too. Buy now at this gift price—they will cost two and three times as much when the weather becomes cold. None laid aside—no mail orders filled.

417 Women's, Misses' & Juniors' Winter COATS
Choice Wed. While the Lot Lasts, **\$3.75**

Constipation One of the Penalties of Age

Nothing is so essential to health in advancing age as keeping the bowels open. It makes one feel younger and fresher and forestalls colds, piles, fevers, and other dependent ills.

Cathartics and purgatives are violent and drastic in action and should be avoided. A mild, effective laxative-tonic, recommended by physicians and thousands who have used it, is the combination of simple herbs with pequin sold by druggists everywhere under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pequin. The price is fifty cents and one dollar a bottle. For a free trial bottle write to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 451 Washington St., Monticello, Ill.

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FIGHT HAS BEGUN UPON NEW YORK FREE MARKET

Comptroller Asserts Plan Forces Into Competition Men Who Pay High Rent.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22—Definite opposition to the city's free open markets which have been developing for three weeks was met yesterday when President Marcus M. Marks of Manhattan Borough, at a conference with the Board of Estimate, asked for \$35,000 for salaries for men to conduct the markets and that the scheme forced into competition men who paid high rents for their stores.

President Marks today planned to carry the fight to the Board of Aldermen and ask that the unused bridge approaches be officially designated free open markets. He contends that the free markets serve to force down prices and offer farmers a chance to sell direct to consumers.

MUSICAL COMEDY GREW SOMBER FOR MOMENT AT PARK

Startling Accident to Louise Allen in "Mayor of Tokio" Frightens Audience.

By RIPLEY D. SAUNDERS.

UTE little Louise Allen, blindfolded, stumbled over the footlights and fell headlong from the stage into the orchestra pit of the Park Theater near the close of the first act of "The Mayor of Tokio" on Monday evening and, for a moment, the big audience had reason to believe that a mimic world musical comedy suddenly had been turned into a real-life tragedy.

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The cast included, besides those already mentioned, James Stevens, as Gen. Satake, a Japanese conspirator; Royal Cutler as Ivan Orfultch, a Russian spy; Eleanor Henry, as Otoe San, daughter of Kow Tow; Billy Kent as Rusty, the song-book boy of the Kidder troupe; Margaret Crawford as Mine, Stich, wardrobe mistress; Maud Williams as Hattie Talcum, soubrette; Edward Smith as Tenake, a Japanese court physician, and others.

The good playing, singing and dancing qualities of the Park musical organization were pleasingly brought into evidence. The most delightful feature was the sentimental caroling of Carl Haydn and Miss Henry, both at their best. The orchestral work was uncommonly capable.

The two scenic settings were picturesquely Nipponese, save that the second gave too much of the same view of the sea and of Japanese sailing craft that had pleased the eye in the first.

BARRIE PLAYLET AT COLUMBIA.

Two Frohman stars—Richard Carle and Hattie Williams—in a Barrie playlet—"A Slice of Life"—constitute the distinguished top-line feature of the Columbia's bill this week, their engagement opening on Monday afternoon with a big laughing hit.

The Barrie playlet is a screaming parody of the old-fashioned drama, and its two principals, cast as Mr. and Mrs. Hyphen-Brown, each with a spurious "part" to meet the requirements of the now discredited "triangle play," devote their most ridiculous effort to the overplaying of their roles. They are faithfully assisted by Henry Norman as Frederick, a burlesque of the conventional stage butler, and the audience roars with laughter from start to finish.

Other features on the new bill are Albert Roussin in a clever balancing act; Lewis and Russell, "musical wits"; Howard Peck and company, in "Did You Ever?" an alleged "novelty farce," so incredibly bad that, finally, the house enjoyed it for its own benefit's sake, almost laughing it from the stage; Tameri Kajiyama, in a puzzling exhibition of upside down, backwater compound-alternative and two-brained writing; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Crane, in the newest dances; Paul Nevin and Ruby Erwood, in "The Coalman and the Maid"; James H. Cullen, "the man from the West"; Tango Chief, the German dancing horse, and moving pictures of St. Louis current events.

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Lot No. 1
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New Fall
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All the wanted materials and styles, in all sizes, for women and misses.
Here at
\$9.95

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Dresses

Combination
Serge and Satin
Dresses, all
sleeves, hot-
pants, etc.;
black, navy
brown, etc., scores
of clever styles.
\$12.75

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all-wool serge
dresses in over-tunic
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\$7.50 Basque Skirts

As illustrated, of all-wool men's
wear serge and voile, in full plaited
tunic style with
12-in. satin Duchesse
top; black and navy
blue; in all sizes....
\$4.95

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Children's \$1.00
Wash School
Dresses

Of ginghams, cham-
brays, gauzes, etc., in
solid colors, dots, stripes,
etc., sizes 6 to 14.
69c

SUIT BARGAINS

Lot No. 2
\$19.75
Long-Coat
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In 45 and 48 inch
coats, some with
Skinner's lining—
newest style
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As illustrated—brown,
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models, sizes
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Full-length
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PLAYGOERS' GUIDE.

"The Mayor of Tokio," Olympia. Bright and pleasingly musical comedy, excellently presented.

"The Fortune Hunter," Shubert.

Return engagement of Richard Watson Tully's picturesque drama of Hawaiian life.

"Our American Return," American. Return engagement of stage version of Elinor Glyn's exaggeratedly popular novel.

"The Mayor of Tokio," Park.

Musical comedy, with Roger Gray in star role created by Richard Galt.

"The Fortune Hunter," Shubert. Winchell Smith's pretty comedy, well mounted.

"Vanderbilt," Grand.

"The Second," Ann Arbor.

"The Neptune's Daughter," Victoria.

Second week of photoplay featuring "The Neptune's Daughter," Victoria.

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The cast included, besides those already mentioned, James Stevens, as Gen. Satake, a Japanese conspirator; Royal Cutler as Ivan Orfultch, a Russian spy; Eleanor Henry, as Otoe San, daughter of Kow Tow; Billy Kent as Rusty, the song-book boy of the Kidder troupe; Margaret Crawford as Mine, Stich, wardrobe mistress; Maud Williams as Hattie Talcum, soubrette; Edward Smith as Tenake, a Japanese court physician, and others.

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BARRIE PLAYLET AT COLUMBIA.

Two Frohman stars—Richard Carle and Hattie Williams—in a Barrie playlet—"A Slice of Life"—constitute the distinguished top-line feature of the Columbia's bill this week, their engagement opening on Monday afternoon with a big laughing hit.

The Barrie playlet is a screaming parody of the old-fashioned drama, and its two principals, cast as Mr. and Mrs. Hyphen-Brown, each with a spurious "part" to meet the requirements of the now discredited "triangle play," devote their most ridiculous effort to the overplaying of their roles. They are faithfully assisted by Henry Norman as Frederick, a burlesque of the conventional stage butler, and the audience roars with laughter from start to finish.

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OUR generations of the bride's family will be represented this evening at the wedding of Miss Laura Vogel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Vogel of 301 California avenue, and George Marsalek.

The wedding engagement of Richard Watson Tully's picturesque drama of Hawaiian life.

"Our American Return," American.

Return engagement of stage version of Elinor Glyn's exaggeratedly popular novel.

"The Mayor of Tokio," Park.

Musical comedy, with Roger Gray in star role created by Richard Galt

"BURGLAR" PROVES TO BE 100-POUND ICE CAKE

The Noise It Made Cost Granite City Realty Dealer Sleepless Night. A haunting fear of burglars cost Per-

ward of Twenty-first and State streets of Granite City, several hours of sleep last night. Ward, a wealthy real estate owner, has a home next to the city hall. Yesterday he told police officials, who had just chased a number of hobos from the city, of his fear of their returning to burglarize Granite City homes.

When he heard a noise in the kitchen last night, Ward, a wealthy real estate owner, crawled to the top of a rear staircase and waited for the "burglar" to enter the dining room. At the end of two hours he gave it up and went to bed. This morning Mrs. Ward found that the "burglar" was a 100-pound cake of ice that had fallen from the refrigerator to the kitchen floor.

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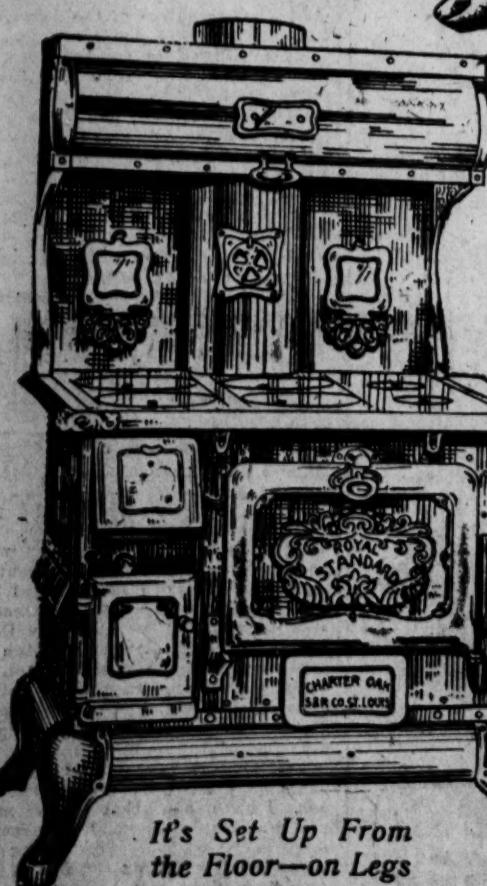
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U. S. ASKS SAFETY FOR PRIESTS AND NUNS AT VERA CRUZ

State Department Requests Carranza Government to Protect Religious Refugees.

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Merchants in Vera Cruz and Mexico generally fear that if the United States does not obtain a pledge from Carranza not to levy a second customs and other assessments, he will do so, regardless of how much the United States turns over to the Government. Secretary Garrison said, unless Carranza agreed to this, the assessment would be imposed. If it had not been expended, would be returned to the importers.

The troops will be returned to Texas City, where they will go into camp. The marines will go to Norfolk, Charleston, Philadelphia and Boston.

Hamburg-American Case.

No disposition has been made of the case of the Hamburg-American steamship company. Shortly after the seizure of Vera Cruz the Ypirangi and Barbara of that line made stops on the Mexican coast for which the ship's manifests did not provide, against the laws of Mexico. This was done, American naval officers at Vera Cruz said, to land arms and ammunition for Huerta.

A fine of \$300 pesos was imposed on the two vessels. The company gave bonds and asked to be allowed to present its side of the case before the fine was made collectable. Secretary Garrison said he would be present when the bill was paid.

Gen. Aguirre, who commanded the revolutionist troops in the Tampico district, has been named military governor of the Vera Cruz-Tampico district and instructed by Carranza to take over Vera Cruz when Gen. Punton evacuated.

New Disbursing Report.

Although yesterday's official reports indicated that the friction between Gen. Obregon and Gen. Villa was of an insignificant character, there was a pessimistic tone in the advices from Mexico which reached here today. The trouble in Sonora has given rise to the fear that the revolutionists will attempt another attempt to quell the disturbance there independent of Carranza's orders.

Everything seems to depend, officials believe, on the outcome of the national convention on Oct. 1, as it is already realized both here and in Mexico that a contest will ensue between the Carranza and Villa factions for political control of the assembly.

MAN THROWS COINS AWAY

Before Policeman Catches Him, Hoboes Pick Up the Money.

A man emerged from the alley on Seventh street, between Pine and Chestnut streets, about 1:30 o'clock, this morning, and started north, but, on seeing a policeman approaching from that direction, turned and ran south to Market street. The policeman pursued. At Eighth and Market streets the man threw a number of silver coins into the gutter.

At Ninth street the policeman overtook him and, returning to Eighth street, plucked up 76 cents, a crowd of hoboes having run off with the remainder of the money. The man said he was John Howard, 30 years old, a bookkeeper, from Dallas, Tex. He appeared to be stupefied, but dispensary physicians declared he was a malingerer. He is held for investigation.

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WAR DEATH STORY DENIED

Otto Heller, a Washington University professor, today denied a story printed yesterday in The Times which stated he had received information that Prof. Charles Abella had been killed in the fighting on the Marne. Abella, until last June, was assistant professor of architecture at Washington University, and he said to be a First Lieutenant in the French Artillery Reserves.

Prof. Heller said he had not received any information from abroad about Abella.

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KNIGHTS WHO ROBBED
Ernest Schneider of 3220 Compton, a well-known St. Louis man, was stopped by a negro robber beneath the Grand avenue viaduct about 6 p.m. yesterday. When the negro demanded his money Schneider knocked him down and kicked him, he told the police.

NEW RIVERS BILL FOR \$20,000,000 GOES TO SENATE

Filibuster Cuts About \$35,000,000 From Measure—Doubt as to Attitude of House.

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AMERICAN IN LONDON HELD FOR WIFE MURDER

Woman Alleged to Have Made Charge Against Him Just Before Death.

LONDON, Sept. 22.—Charles Henry Weston, formerly of Salem, Mass., is in jail at Richmond, a suburb of London, as the result of the death of his wife, who was found today in their house with her throat cut and who died while being taken to a hospital.

Mrs. Weston, it is alleged by the police, stated before her death that her wound had been inflicted by her husband.

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The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in men and women. If not sold by your druggist will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from the and other states. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2928 Olive st., St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—ADV.

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Illustration Shows One Style at Each Price. There Are 19 Other Styles at \$10.00 and 27 at \$15.00

Many are copies of original models that sell for 2 and 3 times the prices we ask for these. The skirts, while made to look just as narrow as heretofore, are quite a good deal wider, giving more freedom for walking. They are in the late "ankle" and "instep" lengths. Coats are tailored or semi fancy in some models, while others are richly fur trimmed, others with collar, cuffs and belt of panne velvet. Every popular fabric and every favorite color is represented. All sizes.

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Five-Year Sentence for Banker.
NORFOLK, Neb., Sept. 22.—W. D. Witzigman, ex-president of what was the Nebraska National Bank of Norfolk, yesterday pleaded guilty in the federal court to a charge of misappropriating funds of the bank and was sentenced by Federal Judge Paige Norris to five years in the Federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kan.

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RIVAL BOXERS FIGHT IN STREET, ONE IS KILLED

Chicago Amateur, Whose Blow Breaks Opponent's Neck, Is Held for Murder.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—Paul Lososki, 19 years old, an amateur boxer, was arrested yesterday on a charge of having killed Leo Okon, who died as a result of a blow that dislocated his neck. Lososki was outpointed by Okon in a bout last Sunday, and when they met on the street last night they quarreled over their boxing skill.

What to Do to Get Fat and Increase Weight

The Real Cause of Thinness

A Physician's Advice

Most thin people eat from four to six pounds of good solid fat-making food every day and still do not increase in weight. This is because they eat many of the plump, chunky foods very lightly and keep gaining all the time, regardless of the nature of the individual. It isn't natural.

Thin folks stay thin because their powers of assimilation are defective. The above foods, though, when they eat to maintain life and a semi-bloated condition, and nothing else, won't help them. A dozen meals a day won't make them gain a single "stay-thin" pound. The best way to increase the amount of food is to eat the best kinds of food, and the best way to increase the amount of food is to eat the best kinds of food.

For instance, it is always recommended eating a Sargol tablet with every meal. Sargol is not, as some believe, a panacea, but it is a combination of six of the most effective and powerful drugs known to chemistry. It is absolutely harmless, yet wonderfully effective, and a single tablet will increase the weight of a thin person by one-half pound a week. Sargol is sold by Jude & Dolph, Weipert Drug Co., Robeson, W. Va., and by the W. W. Weller Drug Co. 5 stores and other good drugstores will supply it. The cost of a tablet of weight increase is money back.

ADV.

SPECIAL GRAND JURY FOR STEVENS INQUIRY ORDERED

Judge Wurdeman Acts on County Prosecutor's Declaration That Realty Man's Deals Are So Complicated an Exhaustive Investigation Is Necessary.

STORIES OF THREATS BY CLIENTS ARE TOLD

Justice Werremeyer Says if Preliminary Hearing on Embezzlement Charge Is at His Office Spectators Will Be Searched for Weapons.

A special grand jury to investigate the real estate holdings of Beverly C. Stevens of 5280 Washington boulevard, was ordered impaneled by Circuit Judge Wurdeman at Clayton today.

Stevens is a Clayton real estate operator, whose operations in St. Louis County have resulted in his making an assignment in behalf of his creditors, in his arrest on an embezzlement charge and in 312 of his clients retaining two title companies to investigate to see if titles to property they hold have been jeopardized.

Judge Wurdeman called the grand jury upon the request of Prosecuting Attorney Arthur V. Lashly, made yesterday afternoon. The latter, after the arrest of Stevens, last Friday, had said that he did not believe it would be necessary to seek a grand jury investigation of Stevens' affairs.

Expense of Investigation.

Judge Wurdeman, before issuing the order, conferred with his associate, Circuit Judge McElhinney, to determine whether such an investigation would be necessary, in view of the great expense attached to it. The 12 grand jurors will receive \$2 a day and all witnesses will be paid \$1 a day and mileage.

The order authorizing the County Court to select the grand jury will be entered tomorrow on Judge Wurdeman's docket. This is the September term of court, and, although the panel will be known as the September grand jury, it is likely its inquiry will be confined to the Stevens case.

Numerous Complaints Received.

Prosecuting Attorney Lashly, in his application for a special grand jury, said numerous complaints had been received against Stevens and that it appeared Stevens' transactions were so irregular they should be investigated to ascertain if the criminal laws had been violated. He said the transactions were so complicated that an extensive and exhaustive investigation by a grand jury would be necessary to further the administration of justice in St. Louis County.

Lashly said the grand jury could subpoena any desired witness, whereas he did not have that power. Two persons who said they were heavy losers in deals with Stevens called him probably with some dash last week and said they would prosecute. They did not have any legal proof and were told just what to bring to the Prosecuting Attorney so he could ascertain what particular offense, if any, Stevens had been guilty of.

Acts on Woman's Complaint.

Neither returned and Lashly sent for them. He said one man declared he had been assured he would get his money back if he did not prosecute and that he had decided to wait a while before filing an affidavit.

Lashly said he had acted upon the only complaint against Stevens. This was made by Mrs. Bertha Hampten, 70 years old, of Kirkwood, who had given Stevens \$1500 to invest for her. A warrant charging Stevens with embezzlement was issued in this case and Stevens surrendered and gave \$5000 bond to appear Friday for preliminary hearing before Justice of the Peace Werremeyer.

Bond Incident Explained.

Regarding the fact that Stevens was previously surrendered at the Trust Company of St. Louis County and given bond there instead of being made to go to the courthouse to give bond, Lashly said this was done in deference to Mrs. Sarah A. Massey of 1615 Maple Avenue, aged mother-in-law of Stevens, and one of the bondsmen.

Ordinarily, Lashly said, he thought Stevens would have been arrested at his home. Stevens' attorney informed him Mrs. Massey would sign the bond. They asked Lashly to permit her to do so in a private place because her condition was such that she hardly could stand the ordeal in a public place. Without any other consideration for Stevens, Lashly decided he would accede to the request because he thought it the humane and charitable thing to do out of deference to Mrs. Massey's age.

Story of Threat Told.

Justice Werremeyer, who issued the embezzlement warrant and accepted the bond, gave a Post-Dispatch reporter a new reason today for going to the trust company to release Stevens on bond is secret. He said a citizen had informed him that one of Stevens' clients, who claimed his family had lost several thousand dollars through Stevens, had threatened to shoot the real estate operator on sight. He said he also had heard that residents of Elmwood Park, a negro settlement, a half mile west of Olivette, were "up in arms" and had threatened to harm Stevens as a result of a dozen negro families losing their savings through transactions with Stevens.

Werremeyer declared he intended to protect Stevens from any possible violence and that, if necessary, he would hold the preliminary hearing at his home in Olivette. If the hearing is held at his office in Clayton, Werremeyer said, he will ask for special deputies to search the spectators for weapons before they enter his courtroom.

Clayton residents have heard many threats against Stevens but so far as known Stevens has appeared only once.

WOMAN, 82, ONE OF THE STEVENS CLIENTS, DIES.

Mrs. Catherine Becker, 82 years old, of Maxville, St. Louis County, who held nearly all of her property to her adopted son, Charles. The will stated that Stevens' firm, died at her home Sunday of arteriosclerosis. The trust had been said to be practically worthless.

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President Votes at Princeton.
PRINCETON, N. J., Sept. 22.—President Wilson, who came here today from Washington to vote, left Princeton at 1:50 p. m. on his return journey to Washington, where he is expected to arrive at 8 p. m.

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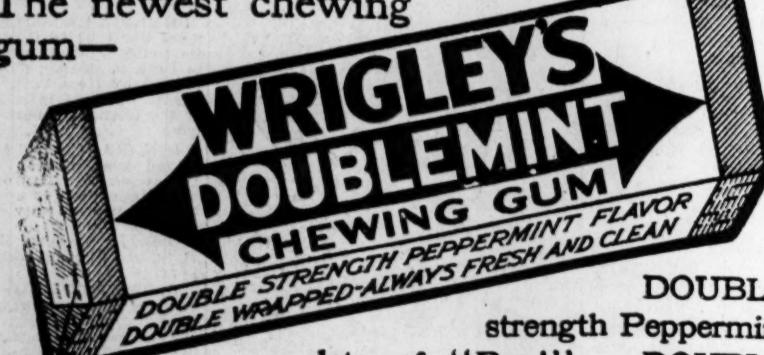
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THE POST-DISPATCH PLATFORM.

I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles, that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight demagogues of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news, always be drastically independent, never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

That Pork Barrel Cartoon.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

It is with deep regret that I view Saturday's cartoon; it is not up to the high standards of your paper and, under the circumstances, is in poor taste. The St. Louis advocates of deep-waterways and Mississippi River improvements have been the most active and prominent of any in the country. Does not this cartoon resemble a slap in the face from an erstwhile friend? St. Louis looks to the South for her trade and is striving for more; the prosperity of many Southern states depends on their levees, which are far from secure; but these states need and must have assistance from the Government. This assistance is in the bill which is held up to scorn and ridicule by a St. Louis paper.

It is wise to spend millions on river and harbor or any improvement, but in a fit of so-called economy, allow the work to deteriorate? Appropriations may stop; but the river never ceases its labors, and no consideration is given to the improved reaches—it is entirely impartial in its destruction.

In this time of rising prices, depression and labor unrest, is it wise for the Government to close works of improvement, throwing out of employment thousands of unskilled laborers, unable to obtain permanent employment in "good times"? Does it not increase the discontent and put a premium on vagabondage and crime?

R. H. B.

The Post-Dispatch is not opposed to legitimate river improvement. Read the editorial "Provide for the River," in the Post-Dispatch of Sept. 13. The so-called "pork-barrel" appropriation (bill) authorized wasteful and unnecessary expenditures amounting to millions of dollars. The administration's bill to the tune of \$25,000,000 for the Mississippi is proof that the bill was vicious and loaded with questionable items. The \$20,000,000 proposed in the amended bill will be ample to keep the river improvements in operation.—Ed. Post-Dispatch.)

Blood Will Tell.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The Kaiser is a descendant of the French Admiral Collonge. Perhaps it is his French blood, as well as the German flow, that has inspired him as a Kriegscher.

PONCS.

Brains Not Crippled.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

A letter in your People's Column last evening, signed by "Discouraged Unit," struck me very forcibly. It seems to me that anyone having the mental vigor displayed in this discouraged man's letter, and a man who has the command of English that this man has, need not despair of finding a place in life where he may make himself an honest living. Give this man a little encouragement and it seems to me that he could easily occupy a position on the writing staff of some periodical.

Furthermore, there is a lot of very poor business literature in this city that could be improved very much by this man, if he were to study the principles of advertising and learn how business literature should be written up. There are thousands and thousands of circulars, booklets, folders, and the like, leaving St. Louis business houses every day, that are prepared by men with little command of English, and whose writings show it. The business stories are there, but poorly presented. Why should not this man with his experience learn how to do such work as this?

J. R. R.

A Vegetarian Whoop.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

All the vegetarians have cut this out of Richard Harding Davis' war letter in the Post-Dispatch and pasted it in their scrap book of physical facts:

"Man for man, no white man, drugged for years with meat and alcohol, is a physical match for one of those Turcos, who eat dates and drink water. They are lean as starved wolves. They move like panthers. They are muscle and nerves."

Why pay big prices for meat? It is neither physical nor intellectual food.

A PAST GRAND VEGETARIAN.

Seeing a Sleepwalker.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

One of the remarkable sights is a woman walking in her sleep at night on the sidewalk. It is something like seeing a ghost, I suppose. Certainly there is a queer, inscrutable feeling in the spectator. At 4 o'clock Monday morning, I saw a little woman in her night clothes, was walking on Flinney avenue. Her eyes were closed and she was walking fast, keeping the middle of the sidewalk, with remarkable accuracy. At the Northwest crossing, as she was about to step over the curbing, some man stopped her and she sank to the pavement, still soundly sleeping. The hard, cold granite had no effect on her. As I went my way, a policeman and half a dozen men were watching the poor thing. I have had many queer experiences; this one affected me in a way I shall never forget.

D. B.

CIVILIZE CHRISTENDOM.

In Gen. Bernhardi's book on war, significant excerpts from which were published in the Sunday Post-Dispatch, there is not a trace of the fundamental ideas of Christian civilization. Might is right; stronger nations should conquer and despoil weaker nations; territory should be seized whenever it is wanted by nations able to take it; honorable intentions and treaty obligations must be thrown aside when national interest and expansion requires it; everything should be sacrificed to "necessities" of militant imperialism; force as a means of realizing national ambitions and expanding national power should not be limited by feeble and foolish notions of liberty, justice and humanity—all obstacles to these ends must be crushed.

With a ransom of \$37,651, it was possible to save the wine cellars of Champagne and their stores of drink. But the priceless Cathedral of Rheims could not be saved. "Military necessity"—regretfully but none the less effectively—consigned it to destruction.

WHOOPING 'EE UP.

Our compliments to the Hon. Adolph B. Suess who reported the Illinois Democratic convention for us esteemed morning contemporary, America's Soremost Democratic newspaper. Because we all love real enthusiasm, the "good-old-days" of feeling. And we love to see language get out and march like a flambeau parade and play like a band. Heenken!

Springfield, the capital of Illinois, was adorned with light and color when I alighted from the train. The street intersections were arched with steel spandrels, brilliantly illuminated by thousands of varicolored lights.

The dome of the old Sangamon County courthouse, famous for having re-echoed in its rooms and corridors the voice of the great emancipator, Abraham Lincoln, and now devoted to purposes of a historical museum, under the guardianship of the Grand Army of the Republic, was ablaze in lights of blue, while the columns and pilasters of the building proper were a mass of white lights, the somber red sandstone walls forming an effective background, all combining to make a display of the red, white and blue, America's glorious tricolor.

Along come Roger Sullivan and the Cook County delegation "accompanied by their magnificent county band." * * * They made a natty appearance marching to inspiring music."

Presently comes another delegation headed by the "Postmaster of the great industrial and Queen City of Egypt, East St. Louis." And look you:

Silver-tongued, smiling and urbane, the gray-haired leader of Southern Illinois Democracy, loved and revered by his close personal friends and admired by all for his stanch and loyal services to the Democratic party, Congressman Henry T. Rainey came direct from Washington, bringing with him the congratulations of his Illinois colleagues in House and Senate and their expressions of hearty approval of the nominees of the Democratic State ticket, as also the assurance that each and every one of the twenty-odd Democratic Congressmen—also United States Senator James Hamilton Lewis—would support Roger C. Sullivan and the entire State ticket to a man.

We would not be quite human if this did not almost rob us of discrimination and make us want to throw up our old slouch hat and give the Rebel yell without knowing exactly why. Indeed, if it were not that all the enthusiasm revolves around Mr. Roger C. Sullivan we could not restrain ourself from giving three cheers for general principles.

GENERAL FIGHTING HAND-TO-HAND.

We observe that Generals Villa and Obregon came near to a personal encounter a day or two ago. They had words and rushed at each other and were "with difficulty restrained."

Why in the name of humanity did anybody restrain them? Two Generals in personally conducted warfare would be a spectacle to cheer up all the privates everywhere.

STAGNATION IN HIGH PLACES.

We have another fine example of the growing spirit of American bureaucracy in the action of the Interstate Commerce Commission upon the application of Eastern railroads for rehearing of the rate case. The request of the railroads is based upon conditions suddenly reduced there reduce one another to such a size that one can clean the other up.

The Weather Bird, who has been a close observer of the big battle now raging across a two-page front, says there is no doubt of the scientific soundness of the theory. He has seen so many battles won and lost in spots along that line without affecting the rest of the country. He has given up all expectation of seeing anything more serious than a prudential withdrawal now and then to a new line of defense. He thinks the battle is probably permanent as it is, at least as long as both sides have ammunition and can bring up recruits.

The Weather Bird says the rules of war are now being ignored in every part of the paper. Everybody says they are impracticable, and they will have to be revised before they can be made to serve the purpose of standardizing and humanizing such great actions as that which is raging in the paper now. The trouble with the rules is explained by a veteran warrior who is fighting in the trenches, saying that they were made for trench tournaments rather than for the profession of arms. He says it is impossible to conform to them without getting whipped, and this is a price nobody cares to pay, however much he may want to keep his word.

The Russians on the third page are very quiet. They are evidently still hunting. The Weather Bird says it is no longer possible to engage the Austrians with music. They won't wait for it. Otherwise the paper is normal.

The Japs sustain the interest normal in the paper, but that is about all they seem capable of. They are not taking that German box on the fourth page very fast.

WE UNDERSTOOD, OF COURSE.

The Globe-Democrat was unduly agitated by our playful suggestion that it wouldn't be entirely happy until a Mexican massacre of Americans proved President Wilson blundered in withdrawing American troops from Vera Cruz. We were only joking. We understood, of course, that our highly esteemed contemporary was only thundering at the President's Mexican policy to make political capital for Republican candidates in November.

BACK NUMBERS.

Quoting Mr. Dooley, Col. Roosevelt indulgently remarks that "Thomas Jefferson was a good man, but he lived before the days of open plumbing."

But Jefferson could see farther ahead than Roosevelt even then. He anticipated and disposed of the Colonel by laying it down: "Should a President consent to be a candidate for a third election I trust he would be rejected on this demonstration of ambitious views."

"One danger is," explained Jefferson, "that the indulgence and the attachments of the people will keep a man in the chair after he becomes a dotard."

There appears to be no particular or immediate danger of that in the Colonel's case, but as contrasted with Jefferson, whose doctrines are much more alive and operative today than "Progressive" ones, the Colonel seems to be the real back number of the lot.

THE DESTRUCTION AT RHEIMS.

The destruction of art objects and historic monuments of architecture has already become a feature by which the present war is distinguished from preceding wars.

Berlin itself expressed regret over the ruin at Rheims that has plunged all France in national sorrow.

The court-martial of a captured Russian General for indiscriminate destruction of property and lives in Eastern Prussia is reported. Invaders in the western theater of war and perhaps in the eastern also, seem to make slight effort for preserving treasures that represent generations of achievement.

Belgium and Northern France have been a battle-ground for century on century. That dozens of beautiful structures in both countries have survived even the ferocities of medieval struggles to meet obliteration by armies in the enlightened,

ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH, TUESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 22, 1914.

ANSWERS TO QUERIES

CLEANSING.

R. E. D.—Try a cleansing cream of tartar on white kid gloves.

MARIE.—For mildewed white goods try a solution of chloride of lime: directions on the box.

K.—Try benzine for paint stain on linoleum. The oil is left, sponge with pure alcohol.

S.—Try stain: Saturate and rub with turpentine; or soak in kerosene or buttermilk and rinse thoroughly in soap water.

R. M.—To clean real lace equal to new, wash white muslin round a bottle; tack the lace on it; make a soda of fine soap, add a little borax and wash the lace in this water. Then wash the lace in water.

HEALTH HINTS.

STIFF.—You might try massage and fomentations.

CONGESTION.—Gargles for catarrh sufferers are said to be Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, the Dakotas and Nebraska. Southern Alabama is also mentioned.

HOUSEHOLD HELPS.

J. E. P.—Keep rubber in the dark.

S. G.—For farm culture see Answers Aug. 18, at this office.

A. D. A.—Rub off the sticky furniture polish with gasoline; then chairs may be washed.

WINE.—Gran wine: See Answers Aug. 6 and 20, at this office. Wine should be kept in cool, dark place; turn bottles on their sides.

WATER.—Washing soda is not used in cooking. In cooking vegetables, a pinch of baking soda (bicarbonate of soda) is sometimes used, though it is not considered healthy.

EMILY.—Bisque to a good clear white: One tablespoon chloride of lime to one quart water. Let remain fluid about 10 minutes. Then wash the dish in this way. (For use in china lamp you might try cement, painted.)

H. L.—Candied apples: Washed brown sugar and water in which 3 tablespoons vinegar has been stirred; put into a saucepan, cook 10 minutes, add 4 tablespoons butter and boil until a drop hardens in cold water. Dip apples in this and then in white pieces of wood into shape of a pencil, with pointed end, and stick one into each apple.

LAW POINTS.

B.—Try law books or Public Library for insurance laws.

E. M.—Phone Prosecuting Attorney, Municipal Courts Building, in regard to fraudulent advertising.

G. B.—Try phone, Prosecuting Attorney, Municipal Courts Building, about the short weights in sugar.

X. Y. Z.—Both parties must be present at application for marriage. Illinois requires there be someone to vouch for the fitness of the marriage which may "leak out" anywhere.

MOTHER.—Cost of changing name in Circuit Court, \$4 filing fee. If attorney is used, add \$10 for lawyer's fee. Name may be changed without action of court if change is with an honest purpose.

S. Z.—He lives in Illinois he must support his widow there. The Illinois statutes provide that every person who shall be unable to earn a livelihood for any reason shall be supported by his or his children, unless the parent becomes a pauper from intemperance or other bad conduct. The child shall be called upon to support the parent if there are children of sufficient ability. This obligation rests equally on the child and the parent, with the exception that married daughters, while their husbands live, shall not be liable to contribute for the support of their parents except where they have separate property, or property in their own right out of which such contributions can be made, this obligation not extending to husbands of daughters.

MISCELLANEOUS.

PAUL C.—See recipe of Au. 9 at this office.

BABY.—For baby show try seeing President Herman Mausel, 601 Franklin.

L. S. A.—Say you deeply sympathize with her in her bereavement. Pray the deceased.

AQUA.—For channel information Missouri River, see office of U. S. Engineers, Kansas City.

EX-CONFEDERATE.—Missouri has paid some Confederate pensions. Write Adjutant-General, Jefferson City, Mo.

ALFRED.—St. Louis real estate and personal property (Assessor) returns \$615,745,890. Bank deposits, latest annual statement, \$30,077,695.

YOUNG CHARITY WORKER.—Infants born in Missouri Maternity Home, when not adopted, remain until years of age, and are then transferred to St. Mary's Orphan Asylum.

TEEDY.—For umbrella, young man gift is a good book or a picture, it might like silk umbrella, muffer to wear with his evening clothes, scarf pin, walking stick, bill roll, leather traveling case.

WISHES TO KNOW.—"Hairdressing and Manicuring" is a respectable business. Any person not respectable may be engaged in it, but the business that is faulty when there is dishonesty in it.

CURIOS.—For moving pictures that may be duplicated, make arrangements for each negative to several cameras, make work at once. Trick backgrounds account for one person acting as twins. See in public library for full information.

W. M. P.—Mason and Dixon line boundary between Pennsylvania, Maryland and Virginia. It is West of the states, south of Pennsylvania. Up to the Civil War, "Mason and Dixon's line" was a phrase denoting the boundary between free states and slave states.

SHELBINA.—Neither French Government nor that of United States paid for Bartholomew and Private subscription. Bartholomew is an American. The map is \$100,000, weight 100 lbs. It was pushed by New York World, more than \$100,000. It was intended as a memory of the friendship between the two countries.

IGNORANCE.—Members School Board are elected by nonpartisan ticket at April municipal elections. Superintendents are appointed by Board. Law makes no requirement as to educational or professional qualification of board members. Kansas City board

BUSINESS CHANCES

Solid agate, 10c line, minimum 20c.

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BUSINESS CHANCE—Bakers, attention! We have a movable oven, guaranteed satisfaction, will put in guarantee. Middlebury—Marshall Oven Mfg. Co., 1000 Franklin, St. Louis. (6c)

BUG Inducement to promoter to sell stock in \$50,000 corporation. Weber, P. O. Box 4426, St. Louis. (6c)

FAST-GROWING advertising business; opportunity for young man of good appearance, \$1,000 to \$2,000 a month, with right man, \$3,000 will swing it. Post-Dispatch. (6c)

FIRE-For sale: 1000 ft. of lumber, want to operate same. Box L-225, Post-Dispatch. (6c)

SAVE an exclusive State option on the fire insurance of your home. Qualify for qualified party will invest \$2000 to join our enterprise. For interview address P. O. Box 905. (6c)

I MADE \$50,000 in five years with a small oil and gas business; began with \$1000 and free bookkeeping. Box 1028, St. Louis. (6c)

SAVINGS—Wants refined gentleman, who can invest \$2000, half interest, experience not necessary. Box G-145, P. O. Box 1222, Post-Dispatch. (6c)

A CHANDELIER and dressing table in one \$5000 annually; all modern machines and apparatus; \$1000 to \$2000 a month will handle. Box 1028, Post-Dispatch. (6c)

SCHOLARSHIP—Brown's Business College, 1000 Grand,ader, leaving city. Box L-222, Post-Dispatch. (6c)

\$1500 WORTH elegant furnishings; good man for those wishing to conduct a fashionable boarding house; must sell. (6c)

2527 Westminster.

BUSINESS WANTED

BUSINESS—We are on the market each in Illinois, Arkansas and Missouri; calling on hotels, restaurants, butchers and grocers; will sell for cash or trade. Box 1028, St. Louis. (6c)

ANY business you can have sold quick and reliable; we sell in city, town or country; small or large; we can finance your loan money to complete deals. Call or write or wire. Box 1028, Post-Dispatch. (6c)

THIS business expert will sell your business, or your partner, or money to start your business. A. J. Manus, 1811 Wright Bldg. (6c)

BUSINESS FOR SALE

ART STORE—Will sell to suit, part or all; picture frames, moldings, novelties, fixtures, household furniture and piano. Box 1028, Taylor. (6c)

BAKERY—\$400 will buy a good, old-established bakery. Box 1028, Post-Dispatch. (6c)

BAKERY—And confectionery; come and investigate. Box 1028, Post-Dispatch. (6c)

FARER SHOP—Art poolroom, corner location, good trade; \$1000 to \$2000. Paid; bargain. Box N-262, Post-Dispatch. (6c)

NATURAL AT your own price; good for nail parlor, good trade. Box 1028, Post-Dispatch. (6c)

FURNITURE—For sale: 8-room flat, by piece of whole, cheap. Call after 6 p. m. Box 1028, Post-Dispatch. (6c)

FURNITURE—For sale: 8-room; call any time. Mr. L. L. L. (6c)

FURNITURE—\$125 cash, rent only \$10 for store, with two living rooms, rear soda fountain, cigars, candy, etc. Box 1028, Post-Dispatch. (6c)

FURNITURE—For sale: 8-room, 2nd floor, monthly, good trade. Box 1028, Post-Dispatch. (6c)

DRUG STORE—At: Southeast Missouri; at: invite to cash, 1000 ft. of trade. Eastman, Victor, Columbia and other lines. Box 1028, Post-Dispatch. (6c)

GROCERY—Good cash counter trade; have been buying. \$1000. Box 1028, Post-Dispatch. (6c)

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ROOMS FOR RENT—WEST

TAYLOR, 1227 N.—Over flower store, small room, bath, gas, gentlemen, \$1.25 per week.
WASHINGTON BL., 4519—Pleasant 2d-story room and other rooms; hot-water heat; private house; \$1.25 per week.
WASHINGTON BL., 3922—2 or 3 first or second floor rooms; furnished for housekeeping; reasonable rates.
WASHINGTON BL., 4036—Delightful room, pleasant surroundings, for refined persons; first floor, \$1.25 per week.
WASHINGTON, 2873—Elegant newly furnished rooms; private family; near cafe; first floor, \$1.25 per week.
WASHINGTON BL., 4753—Two furnished rooms for housekeeping in private family; reasonable rates.
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WATERMAN, 3202—Rooms, living room, bath, on 2d floor, for party of gentle- men; with or without meals; references; \$2.00 per week.
WEST BELLIE PL., 4428—2 front rooms; board; \$4 weekly; all conveniences; Forest Park.
WEST BELLIE PL., 4258—Well-furnished room for housekeeping; bath; \$1.25 per week.
WEST BELLIE PL., 4155A—Furnished room, with or without housekeeping; bath; \$1.25 per week.
WEST END PL., 515—3d-floor rear room; sleeping; \$1.25; housekeeping; basement.
WESTMINSTER PL., 3668—Extra nice room; very reasonable also double rooms.
WESTMINSTER PL., 4257—Elegant room; bath; \$1.25 per week; absolutely modern home; Lindell 1131W.
WESTMINSTER PL., 4222—Furnished room; continuous hot water; refined couple; reasonable.
WESTMINSTER PL., 3630—Nice room; furnished room for one or two gentlemen; reasonable; heat, electric light, bath, free phone; all conveniences.
WEST PINE BL., 3860—Well-furnished room, room, bath; housekeeping; sleeping; \$1.25 per week.
WINDSOR PL., 3710—Nicely furnished room, all conveniences; furnace; I block from Grand.
NORTH

ELMBANK, 4417—Suite of two nicely furnished rooms, private family; bath, steam heat, reasonable; \$1.25 per week.
KENNEDY, 4003—Three rooms, furnished and unfurnished.
KENNEDY, 4002—Two connecting rooms, furnished for housekeeping, bath, gas range, phone, electric; \$1.25.
MONTGOMERY, 1928—Nicely furnished 3 rooms; bath; separate entrance; Central 1740R.
SPRING, 1210 N.—Housekeeping rooms; also rooms; parlor and piano; comfortable home.
THEODOSIA, 6822—Furnished room; two gentlemen preferred.

ROOMS FOR RENT—COLORED

BEAUMONTE 707 N.—Room for colored; \$2.00.
LAWTON, 2635—Very nice furnished room; \$1.75 per week.
LAWTON, 2636—Furnished room; \$1.75 per week.
WESTMINSTER PL., 4210—Nicely furnished front room; bath; housekeeping; gas, phone, convenient.

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY

MISCELLANEOUS

ROOM AND BOARD—Beautiful room, neatly furnished, private family; bath, steam heat, reasonable; Lindell 760R.

ROOM AND BOARD—Want to board 4 adults; reasonable rates; \$1.25 per week.

FRANKLIN, 4419—Nicely furnished room; \$1.75 and up; with or without board; heat, electric light, bath, reasonable.

OLIVER, 2706—Rooms and board; \$4 per week; \$1.25 month; home cooking; reasonable.

WASHINGTON, 2828—Second floor, front room, with board, modern conveniences; Lindell 883.

SOUTH

BOTANICAL, 8044—Large furnished room, with board; all conveniences; 3 car lines.

BOTANICAL, 2741—Room and board; \$3.50 to \$4.50 weekly.

FRANKLIN, 4419—Nicely furnished room; \$1.75 and up; with or without board; heat, electric light, bath, reasonable.

HICKORY, 1900—Nice, from room, with board; heat, electric light, bath, \$1.25 per week.

LAFAYETTE, 2848—Second floor, front room, with board, modern conveniences; Lindell 883.

ROOM AND BOARD—WANTED

BELL, 8012—Room, with or without board, for rents or married couple; private family.

CHOCOLATE, 2741—Room and board; \$3.50 to \$4.50 weekly.

FRANKLIN, 4419—Nicely furnished room; \$1.75 and up; with or without board; heat, electric light, bath, reasonable.

OLIVER, 2706—Rooms and board; \$4 per week; \$1.25 month; home cooking; reasonable.

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CENTRAL

BELL, 8012—Room, with or without board, for rents or married couple; private family.

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WEST

CABANAS, 2800—Beautifully furnished room; board; electric light, bath, hot water; private table; heat, \$1.25 per week.

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COOK, 4012—Large, well-furnished front room; wood table; conveniences; Forest Park.

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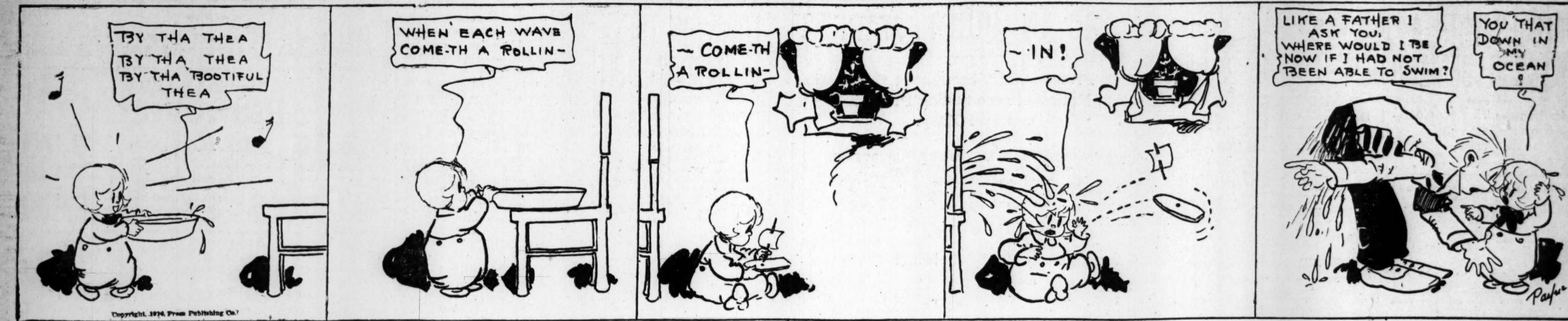
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S'MATTER POP?



The Jarr Family

BY ROY L. McCARELL

If You Hear Nothing of the Jarrs, Now, for Some Time, It's Because They Are Taking a Vacation.

"You see, it's this way," said the dashing young matron, Mrs. Clara Mudridge-Smith, when Mr. and Mrs. Jarr, in company with the erudite Michael Angelo Dinkston, called on her at her apartments in the High-costa Arms. "You see, it's this way—one must be a surviving refugee if one expects to have ANY standing in society this season."

Mr. Jarr was going to ask why should they be surviving refugees when they hadn't been to Europe at all. But Mrs. Jarr stepped on his foot as a signal to keep quiet, and Mrs. Mudridge-Smith

"So it occurred to me that you could advise us, Mr. Dinkston, and I telephoned Mrs. Jarr to get in touch with you."

"He just had got 'in touch' with me," murmured Mr. Jarr—"in touch" for a dollar. But no one paid any heed to Mr. Jarr's murmur.

"It's a grand idea," remarked Mrs. Jarr. "All we need to do is to talk of the hardships and perils we have been through—when people who know we were not in Europe are not around."

"Will we be apt to meet those persons on social functions?" asked Mrs. Mudridge-Smith.

"Well, Mrs. Rangie and Mrs. Terwiger and a lot of people know we were not in Europe this summer," explained Mrs. Jarr.

"Then it will be easy," counseled Mrs. Mudridge-Smith. "My idea is that Mr. Dinkston shall start a Society of Surviving Stranded American Refugees with a high-toned rank going to those who had to return in the steerage and who suffered the worst hardships and all that sort of thing. If Mr. Dinkston, as secretary and founder, keeps out all who were not actual stranded Americans abroad we will be in no danger of meeting anyone who will know we were not stranded in Europe when the war broke out."

"Why, to be sure!" said Mr. Dinkston. "The people who were not so proud that their ancestors came to America in the steerage are very proud that they came over that way—owing to war conditions—themselves. I will give instructions, compiled from newspaper accounts, concerning actual conditions experienced by travelers after war was declared."

"Then, if you are talking to persons who suffered hardships and privation in Germany, you will tell of your experiences in France, and vice versa."

"Oh, but I forgot," cried Mrs. Mudridge-Smith. "How can we get through our plan when Mrs. Stryver will know we were not abroad this summer?"

"That's very simple," said Mrs. Jarr. "Let us take her in. Then she won't tell on us for fear we should tell on her."

"But I have such a poor memory, what shall I do if people question me too closely?" asked Mrs. Mudridge-Smith.

"You can get hysterical, can't you?" replied Mrs. Jarr, "and say it is all a horrid dream and that your mind was in a daze."

"Yes, that's a good idea," said Mrs. Mudridge-Smith. "I can say 'You know what a silly little goose I am! Oh, dear."

A Real Bug Is Worse Than Make-Believe Bullets Is Axel Idea of It!

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don't recall those dreadful scenes, I pray you! My mind was in a daze!"

"But everybody's mind can't be in a daze," suggested Mr. Jarr. "Is Mrs. Stryver's mind to be in a daze, and Mrs. Jarr's? If all their minds are or were in dazes the books will get wise."

"I wish you wouldn't use that dreadful slang!" cried Mrs. Jarr petulantly: "especially when what you say is so true. What shall we do?"

"If you will be advised by me," spoke up the erudite Dinkston, "I would suggest that some of you at least should suffer some hardships, such, say, as living in a cheap furnished room house, so you could speak feelingly of privations."

"Why, I'll tell you what we will do," interrupted Mr. Jarr. "We'll take the children and go spend a couple of weeks at Uncle Henry's farm, and the sufferings of stranded Americans abroad will be nothing to the tales of hardship and privation we can tell when we get back to civilization!"

"Yes, you are going on your vacation," said Mrs. Jarr, "and the landlord will have the flat all fixed up for us when we come back, and old Mrs. Dusenberry will put in the new furniture—"

"So it's decided. And if you hear nothing of me for a month or two, you will know they are taking a practical course in the discomfort and privation down on Uncle Henry's farm to fit them for the Neighborhood Branch of War Stranded Americans Abroad."

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Cupid's Auxiliary

I DO not mind the strangely timid maid
Who glances up, then quickly hurried by,
Nor yet the one who seems to look
me through
With critical and disapproving eye.

I don't complete, although the sun-
mer girl,
To whom I pledged my true love by
the sea,
At last departs with sighs or even
tears—
But never sends a post-card back to
me!

These I abide; yet always pray that
Fate
May spare me from that one most
bitter pill—
The teasing girl who comes and
fools around
Because she wants to show she's sore
with Bill.

Puck.

How I Like to Go Calling.



You should have heard Smith crack-
ing up his wife's biscuits this morn-
ing."

"I believe I did hear him. I thought

at the time he was chopping wood."

Luxury.

THOSE Billions simply roll in
wealth."

"Don't they—and say, did you ever
see Mrs. Bullion's set of state teeth?"

"State teeth?"

"Yes—the ones she wears at receptions
and dinners. They're made of diamonds,
rubies, pearls, sapphires and emeralds
in succession. Why, one of her smiles is

worth \$8,000."

Raising His Own Vegetables.



Real Genius.

NOW," said the professor in the medi-
cal college, "if a person in good
health, but who imagined himself sick,
should send for you, what would you do?"

"I," said a student, "would give him
something to make him sick and then
administer an antidote."

"Don't waste any more time here,
young man," said the teacher, "but begin
practice at once."

He Had His Fears.

"I don't care to meet him. I owe him
something."

"It is more than you can pay."

"I am afraid so. I owe him a thrash-
ing."

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You don't need to stand over the wash-tub till you are ready to drop from weariness.

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It does all its work best in cool or lukewarm water.



Better buy
Fels-Naptha
by the
carton
or box.

Anty Drudge Meets Another Admirer

Doctor—"Madam, I'm glad to have the pleasure of knowing you. My wife uses Fels-Naptha Soap, and when one of my patients gets all worn out with work and sends for me, I always recommend Fels-Naptha for them. There's not one case where it hasn't made new women of them. It's a blessing to all women."

Anty Drudge—"You're a sensible man, sir. I see you believe in curing the cause of woman's illness—needless overwork."

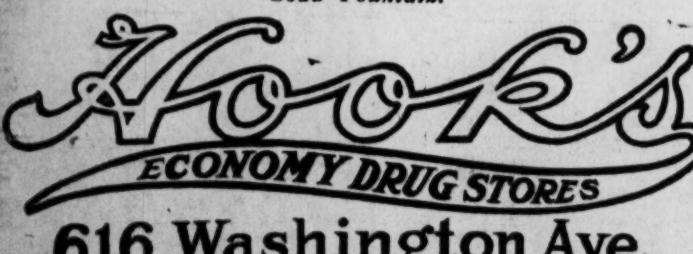
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